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Staff at Fitness First in Cannock look forward to the family fun day to celebrate their 10th anniversary are; back, l to r: Damien Williams, Sarah Arblaster and Scott Thompson. Front, Jodie Maybury and Helen Loverock

First hits 10th as gym celebrates birthday

A CANNOCK gym marks its 10th birthday this weekend – and is celebrating with an energising free family fun day

Fitness First, Wyrley Brook Retail Park, off Walkmill Lane, Bridgtown, will be open from 8am until 6pm, on Saturday (May 28).

Everyone is invited to the event which will also be raising money for the Asthma Association.

Helen Loverock, membership consultant at the gym, which has 25 members of staff, said: "We are hoping to raise as much money as we can for the charity and we hope the community will turn out to show their support and help us celebrate our 10th birthday.

"Everybody from the gym will be getting dressed up and there will be a free to join offer on membership for anybody interested in becoming a member."

There will be a bouncy castle, face painting and barbecue amongst a host of other activities going on in and around the gym.

To find out more contact Fitness First on 01543 466686.

Wife joins cycling husband for Beijing competition

TEACHER'S ON HER BIKE FOR GAMES GLORY

A CANNOCK teacher who combines her full time job with gruelling triathlon training is heading to Beijing to take part in a prestigious competition – along with her husband.

Karen Marshallsay, a PE teacher at Cardinal Griffin RC High School, has qualified for the World Triathlon Age Group Championships, which take place this September.

And the Beijing trip is set to be a family affair as husband Barry, who owns his own franchisee business, also qualified in his age category.

Karen competed in Budapest for last year's championships, finishing 15th, but will now look to better her result second time around.

Both Marshallsays earned their Beijing place by winning through trials which took place at Dorney Lake, Eton, last weekend.

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The event was the first of three qualifying races where the top four positions in each age group -non-elite athletes who work full-time and train in their spare time - gained automatic qualification.

Karen, aged 31, came third in the 30-34 age group while Barry, aged 35, won the 35-39 category.

The teacher said her pupils were extremely pleased for her and she was looking forward to her and Barry enjoying an exotic trip east.

"The kids are pretty great to be honest and very supportive, as is everyone at the school," said Karen, who lives in Trentham, Stoke-on-Trent.

"Me and Barry train together although I don't know how I fit it all in as well as teaching – I'm always shattered!"

Karen, who put her success down to a new training regime, said that unfortunately there was little chance of her flying the flag for Great Britain at next year's Olympics – unless she quit her job.

"The Olympic competitors are all elite athletes so I'd have to train full time to do that.

"I take enough time off as it is – I'm going to go grovelling soon as I might need a week off for Beijing.

"Hopefully we'll get to see a bit of the country as well while we're out there."

A spokesman for Cardinal Griffin, off Stafford Road, said: "All staff and pupils at Cardinal Griffin would like to congratulate Mrs Marshallsay on her fantastic achievement and wish her the very best of success in Beijing."

Saddling up for the challenge is PE teacher Karen Marshallsay

Sounds of sunshine as choir performs for children's charity

A COMMUNITY choir formed by a Hednesford school is staging a concert in aid of a children's charity.

Sunshine Sounds will showcase songs from its debut CD at the performance in West Hill Primary School tomorrow (Friday).

The choir involves pupils from the High Mount Street school, as well as staff, ex-pupils, friends and parents.

The spring charity concert is taking place at 7pm to raise funds for Wolverhampton charity Promise Dreams, which makes dreams come true for disabled or terminally ill children. The CD, called Champions, costs £5. It will be on sale at the concert and, following that from the school reception.

Tickets for the concert cost £3.50 and are available from the school by telephoning 01543 512200.

The choir was formed by Samantha Dewally, who teaches French, and rehearsals take place every Tuesday at the end of the school day and on some lunchtimes.

It was started a year ago and took over from the existing pupil-only choir.

The CD was recorded in school by local studios The Shed.

Songs feature dare contemporary and have been arranged by Samantha for the choir. They include We are the Champions by Queen, Yes Sir I Can Boogie, From a Distance and Hallelujah by Leonard Cohen.

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Pyjama party to support hospital

THE sister of a brave Cannock youngster battling cancer will be donning her pyjamas for 72 hours in a bid to raise £1,000 for hospital staff.

Charlotte Turner, of Mosswood Street, will be joined by her five-year-old daughter Leah and a small group of friends for the fundraiser in aid of 12-year-old Thomas.

The Year Eight pupil at Cannock Chase High School is currently undergoing treatment for leukaemia at Birmingham Hospital's teenage cancer unit.

Thomas was first diagnosed when he was just eight-years-old but despite making a full recovery the cancer has returned for a second time.

Charlotte, 24, said: "Thomas is such a fighter. He is very poorly at the moment so this is my way of thanking the staff for all the care they are giving him while raising money for a cause very close to my heart.

"We have had a great amount of support so far but we hope this continues to allow us to reach our target."

The event, which starts on Monday (May 30), has already received the support of Cannock Chase High School, Elliotts, and Busy Days Nursery at Longford.

To sponsor the pyjama party call Charlotte on 07594625011.

Mates saddle up for ride in aid of hospice

A BEER-LOVING group of friends from Huntington swapped their pints for pedals in a 62-mile charity bike ride.

The mission, which raised more than £2,000 for Katharine House Hospice in Stafford, was organised by brothers Craig and Lee Davies who recently lost their mother to cancer.

The group, many of whom o haven't ridden a bike for more than 20 years, set off on May 8 to complete their trek through the Staffordshire countryside.

With the support of their friends, Kevin Mancicius, Richard Swinscoe, Darren Lomas, Terry Bentley, and John Hamilton, the brothers hope this will be the first of many charity challenges.

Kevin said: "It's been a tough time for Craig and Lee but this was our way of helping to create something positive from their loss.

"Cancer has affected people close to us all and so we wanted to do something to show our support for the work that places like Katharine House offer.

"We all had a really good day and we hope to be able to do even more things like this in the future."

Council surgery

LABOUR Councillors Diane Todd and Alison Spicer will be holding a Surgery for their constituents at Heath Hayes Library, Hednesford Road, on Saturday (May 28), from 10.30 to 11.30am.

With children's author Alan Gibbons are Hagley Park pupils, from left, Tommy Glover (aged 12), Nathan Brown (13), Nathan Warrington (13) and David Lunt (14)

Children's author books in at school

CHILDREN'S author Alan Gibbons gave everyone a tale to tell when he paid a visit to a Rugeley school.

The writer of popular books such as Shadow of the Minotaur, for which he won a Blue Peter award in 2000, spoke to pupils at Hagley Park Sports College and held a masterclass in creative writing.

The visit was arranged by Hagley Park's literacy ambassadors – a group of students who have been chosen to promote literacy to fellow students, staff and pupils in nearby primary schools and to also offer literacy advice and support.

During his trip Mr Gibbons, who has been a teacher for 16 years, helped Year 9 students prepare for their GCSE coursework and demonstrated the techniques he uses in writing.

The author signed books and met pupils from the rest of the school in what head Liz Merryman called an interested and informative day.

"Alan Gibbons was a fantastic story teller who really captured the interests of the students and staff," she added.

"They produced some excellent creative writing and really enjoyed their time with him."

Tory MP is taken on tour of AONB

STAFFORD MP Jeremy Lefroy visited the Cannock Chase Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty.

Mr Lefroy spent a morning with members of the AONB team to discover more about the importance of the area.

The team took the Conservative MP to a range of locations including Tixall, Great Haywood, Seven Springs and Brocton Coppice before enjoying tea break in the Little Fawn Cafe.

Mr Lefroy was joined by Councillor Mark Winnington, Cannock Chase AONB joint committee member and Staffordshire County Council cabinet member for environment and assets.

The MP said: "We are lucky to be surrounded by stunning countryside and it is all too easy to take for granted.

"I have spent many happy days on Cannock Chase and I know how much value local people place on the AONB.

"It's really important that, as an MP for the area, I understand the issues local organisations face, and the important roles they play in preserving our environment."

The team is currently conducting a visitor survey about the area to find out how it is judged by local users.

Ruth Hytch, AONB officer, is encouraging people to take part and share their views.

"The AONB team works hard to protect, preserve and enhance the area and we were really keen to explain our work and the challenges we face to Mr Lefroy," she said.

"The survey will help us discover how many people come to the area and help us to plan for the future to make sure the area not only meets local people's needs, but preserves its beauty for future generations to enjoy."

Fire station closure fears are dismissed

A BURNTWOOD councillor has moved to allay fears that a fire station is due to close.

Burntwood Town Council chairman Councillor Eric Drinkwater told *The Chronicle* he had heard rumours suggesting the future of Chase Terrace Fire Station, in Rugeley Road, was in doubt.

The station is a complimentary service to Cannock and Lichfield, which are both manned 24-hours, and also runs safety campaigns for campaigns such as fitting smoke alarms in elderly people's homes.

However Councillor Drinkwater said he had been assured that no closure was in the pipeline and this has also been confirmed by Staffordshire Fire and Rescue Service.

"I hope this assures people regarding the future of Chase Terrace Fire Station and that the firefighters that operate from there can stop worrying also," Councillor Drinkwater said.

"There is also a programme of training young people on the young firefighters courses that take place at the station in Rugeley Road, a programme that has many benefits for the community including the discipline of responsibility.

"This course also has accreditations that are valuable to young people and their development."

Chase Terrace is one of 11 fire stations that has been selected to be rebuilt under a £50m public finance initiative (PFI) scheme.

Community stations in Stone, Burton-on-Trent, Codsall, Kinver, Lichfield, Leek, Penkridge, Ashley, Rugeley and Longton will also be rebuilt.

Lichfield area commander, Phil McFarlane, confirmed there was no plan to close Chase Terrace.

He said: "Any rumours surrounding the closure of Chase Terrace Fire Station are completely unfounded – there are no plans to close the station and in fact Chase Terrace is set to be rebuilt as part of our second community fire stations project.

"Once rebuilt the new station will come complete with community facilities which will benefit both local residents and partner organisations."

Guides in bag pack

GIRL guides held a bag pack at a supermarket in Cannock, raising more than £750.

Members of the Lapley girl-guiding group were in Sainsbury's, at the Orbital Retail Centre, to raise money for a trip to Switzerland.

Their final total of £787.16 will help pay for their Adelboden visit to one of the four world centres for guiding.

Anyone interested in becoming a member of the troop should call Alison on 01785 716950.

Working like a dog for fundraiser

Staff at Briggs Equipment hold their fundraising day to raise money for Dogs For The Disabled

A FUNDRAISER in aid of man's best friend turned out to be a success with Cannock based firm.

Hosted by Briggs Equipment, the material handling firm raised money for the Dogs for the Disabled charity, with a number of fundraising activities throughout Friday (May 20).

The charity trains assistance dogs for children and adults with physical disabilities and families with a autistic children. David Barry, Briggs Equipment HR Director, said: "We set a target for our first day to raise at least £500 and we have already beaten that with money collected so far.

"Our goal is to raise thousands of pounds and our parent company, Sammons Enterprises has pledged to match the money we raise."

Activities included two of the firm's directors being auctioned off as 'dogsbodies' during the morning, while leading up to the day was a colouring competition, a silly dog photo contest and the naming of a dog from the charity.

Winners were Mitchel Johnson, Marie Hindley and Deb McDonald respectively, with the sponsored puppy being named as Denver.

Announcing the winners and pledging their support were Cannock Chase MP Aidan Burley and Mark Francois, vice-chamberlain of Her Majesty's Household, Minister of the Privy Council.

Bungee jump in pub fun day

A PUB near Burntwood is holding a family fun day in aid of the Birmingham Children's Hospital.

The event at the Park Gate Inn, Park Gate Road, Cannock Wood, is taking place on Bank Holiday Monday (May 30).

Events manager Katie Barnes said the fun would start from 12 noon with a 200ft bungee jump. Those taking part need to have raised £60 in sponsorship or pay £50 to jump on the day.

There will also be a barbecue, giant games for children and a bouncy castle.

Anyone who wants to find out more about taking part in the bungee jump can call Katie on 07984 788511.

Weekly antiques market launched

A NEW weekly antiques market has been launched in Penkridge.

It will be held on the village market site in Pinfold Lane every Thursday from 9am to 2pm.

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Owl is latest attraction at animal zone

A BURROWING owl is the latest arrival at an animal tourist attraction run by South Staffordshire College.

The bird, called Bryan, has been introduced to the Animal Zone at the Rodbaston Campus as part of the animal care and animal management curriculum.

Burrowing owls are mainly found in the open landscapes of North and South America, although they are in decline in several parts of the world, such as Canada.

They nest and roost in burrows, such as those excavated by prairie dogs. The college has recently constructed Bryan's aviary to include perches, plants and an artificial burrow allowing him to feel at home in his new environment.

Chris Mitchell, Animal Zone manager, said: "Our students had requested that we add a bird of prey to our collection so that they learn about the management and behaviour of this fascinating species and we were only too happy to oblige.

"The students are very lucky to have a diverse and interesting collection of birds as a resource to help them learn about adaptation, nutrition, housing, breeding, incubation, ringing and other skills that will ultimately help them find employment."

The Animal Zone is home to more than 1,000 animals including monkeys, meerkats, wallabies, reptiles and parrots.

It provides students with a unique opportunity to gain practical experience for careers working with animals in pet shops or zoos as well as for conservation and welfare organisations overseas.

The Animal Zone is open to the public at weekends and during college holidays.

It will be open for half term from Saturday (May 28) to June 5 between 10am and 5pm each day. Admission is £5.20 for adults, £4.20 for children aged three to 16, and free for under-threes.

A pygmy slow loris will be the next new arrival in mid June.

Cash split after pub rock week

A ROCK week at a Cannock pub raised more than £3,500. The cash will be split between the Midlands Air Ambulance and the Stroke Association.

The event at the Stumble Inn in Walsall Road, in Bridgtown, ran from May 9 to 15.

It was the 10th year that the charity music event has been held with more than £25,000 previously being raised for the air ambulance.

The Stroke Association was added to the charities to benefit this year after organiser Gerry Charles, who has been house DJ at the pub for 17 years, suffered a stroke himself.

A CD featuring the bands who played last year is on sale at the pub in aid of the charities. It is also available from Gerry on 07713 179213.

Comic night

PAUL Kerensa, Tony Tinman and Ray Kane appear in a comedy night at Keys Park from 7.30pm tomorrow (Friday). Tickets are £11 in advance or £12.50 on the door. Call 07772 142461 or 07527 412712.

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The flytipping carried out by Thomas Bernard

Flytipper counts cost as rubbish dumped in lanes

A FLYTIPPER has been ordered to pay more than £2,200 after his car was used to dump rubbish.

Thomas Bernard, 21, pleaded guilty at Stafford magistrates court of an offence under section 33 of the Environmental Protection Act 1990.

Venice Archer-Dyer, prosecuting on behalf of South Staffordshire Council, told the court how council officers had visited Moorhall Lane in Penkridge in April last year after receiving a call about boxes and other cardboard being dumped.

The witness had taken the registration number of the vehicle seen dumping the rubbish which was owned by Bernard. In another incident in August that year, another report of flytipping was received by the council – this time at Lodge Lane in Great Wyrley.

After failing to respond to the council's request for an interview, Bernard was arrested on August 23.

Bernard, of The Hollies, Cheslyn Hay, admitted to owning the vehicle but denied fly-tipping.

He pleaded guilty to both charges of allowing his car to be used for dumping of rubbish and was fined £500 for each incident and ordered to pay £1,231.50 costs, with a £15 victim surcharge.

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Bluebird in move to new premises

A BUSINESS providing care at home for older people in south Staffordshire has moved to new premises.

Bluebird Care's new offices at Bermar House, on the Rumer Hill Business Estate in Cannock, were officially opened following the move from Bridgtown in April.

Bluebird, which started in the area four years ago, now employs 35 people at its Mid-Staffs headquarters.

More than 50,000 care visits were made to older people in Staffordshire during the fourth year of operation.

As well as Cannock, Hednesford, Rugeley, Heath Hayes and Great Wyrley, the Bluebird Care team also covers Brewood, Wheaton Aston, Coven and Featherstone.

It now supplies care workers to around 60 customers, all of whom live independently in their own homes.

Bluebird employed just four workers when it launched in April 2007.

Cigarettes discovered in raid on industrial unit

Two men held over tobacco smuggling

TWO men have been arrested on suspicion of tobacco smuggling after a raid was carried out on an industrial unit in Cannock.

The seizure of over one tonne of hand rolling tobacco and 525,000 cigarettes was part of a high profile operation, conducted by HM Revenue & Customs on the morning of Monday (May 23).

A container delivered to the unit had been identified by officers from the UK Border Agency as having suspicious contents when it arrived at Felixstowe docks.

The two men, from Walsall, are in their 30s and were arrested at the scene on suspicion of smuggling but also evading duty up to £340,000.

They have been bailed until August 23.

Illegal

Adrian Farley, Assistant Director of Criminal Investigation for HMRC, said: "This was a significant operation and part of our continuing efforts to stamp out the illegal tobacco trade, which costs the taxpayer over £2 billion a year in lost revenue.

"The proceeds from tobacco smuggling are often used to fund other serious and organised crime such as drug and people trafficking."

He added "We all pay extra to compensate for the money these criminals steal and with the economic challenges being faced by businesses and the public, our focus must remain relentless to deter and disrupt the illegal trade.

Mr Farley said: "We would encourage anyone who knows of someone selling cheap or duty free cigarettes and tobacco to contact the Customs Hotline on 0800 595000 or email **customs.hotline@hmrc.gsi.gov.uk**."

Splash of colour at art exhibition

Museum of Cannock Chase visitor services assistant Sarah Bewley at 'At the Water's Edge' exhibition

AMATEUR artists are in the spotlight at a Hednesford attraction with an exhibition of their work.

The show at the Museum of Cannock Chase in Hednesford is the work of art students supported by the Workers Educational Association.

Called At The Water's Edge, the colourful collection covers every sort of watery scene, from ocean sunsets to canal towpaths to cascading waterfalls. The oil and acrylic exhibits have been created by artists ranging from beginners to more seasoned painters.

Sarah Bewley, visitor services assistant at the Valley Road museum, said: "The standard of work is very high. It's great to see the hard work, talent and enthusiasm that has gone into the exhibition."

The Workers' Educational Association is the UK's largest voluntary sector provider of adult education. It provides funding for around 12,000 part-time courses each year, reaching more than 80,000 adults of all ages and educational backgrounds.

The museum is gearing up for the half-term break, with a series of workshops and drop-in events.

These include making finger puppets and the chance to take part in creating a large-scale painting.

● An exhibition of work by Rushall Pleasure Painters is being staged at Chasewater Innovation Centre.

Painting for Pleasure will run from June 2 to 29 at the centre at Chasewater Country Park, off Pool Road, Brownhills. Local artists can make use of the exhibition space by calling Hilary Foxley on 01543 370737.

Garden fundraiser

A FAMILY raised more than £1,000 for Help for Heroes from an open garden event. Tony Zazulak and his wife Debbie invited people to tour the gardens of their 16th Century Stonehouse Barn in Slitting Mill on May 14.

Witness plea on car raids

POLICE are appealing for witnesses after a number of cars were broken into at Hednesford Park.

Between 9.30am and noon on Sunday, May 15, offenders forced their way into a black Citroen Saxo parked up at the park and stole items including a Blackberry mobile phone and an iPod which had a personal message engraved on the back.

A further two vehicles were also broken into during the same period.

Anyone with information is asked to call Pc Gareth Jones, of South Staffordshire Local Policing Team on 0300 123 44 55 quoting incident number 388 of May 15, or Crimestoppers on 0800 555 111.

Networking breakfast

THE Chase Chamber of Commerce is holding a networking breakfast at the Roman Way Hotel on the A5 Watling Street tomorrow (Friday).

It takes place from 7.30am to 9am and costs £10 for members and £15 for others.

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Wow! Women only walk is a success

A GROUP of gym goers raised more than £600 for charity in a sponsored walk along the Rugeley bypass.

The women only walk, in aid of Cancer Research UK, saw members and staff from WOW! Fitness, in Rugeley, complete the five kilometre trek.

Joanna Rigby, co-owner of WOW! Fitness, said: "The walk was a great success and we are hoping to make it an annual event, opening it up to non-members and organising something on a much larger scale next year."

The gym caters for ladies of all ages and fitness levels with runners, joggers and walkers all taking part in the event.

The 'Women Only' walkers set off from Rugeley

Dancers are on the move

USERS of the Aquarius Ballroom in Hednesford are re-locating to other venues as the venue gets set to close its doors for the last time.

Dance fitness company Zumba-rellas Ltd are just one group to bid a fond farewell to the Victoria Street ballroom, which is set to be demolished as part of a re-development programme.

Following their final session on Tuesday May 24 the classes have now moved to the Civic Hall in Cannock and Lea Hall, in Rugeley, where both sessions will take place every Tuesday evening. The classes at Lea Hall, in Sandy Lane, will take place between 6.30pm and 7.30pm and 7pm until 8pm at the Civic Hall, in Beecroft Road..

Maggie Palmer, Zumba instructor and creative director of Zumba-rellas Ltd, said: "It will be sad to see the Aquarius go because our Zumba classes there have been a great success.

"We will miss it, but we now look forward to re-locating to our new venues."

Zumba-rellas are hoping to establish more Zumba classes across the area and are preparing to introduce Zumbatomics, dance fitness for children.

Kitchen blazes warning issued

FIRE chiefs have sounded a warning after three kitchen blazes in Hednesford in as many days.

Assistant area commander Ian Broadhead said the run of fires was a "real concern".

A woman was treated for smoke inhalation at flats at Canford Place just after 4pm on Saturday (May 21) when a chip pan caught fire.

The previous day firefighters searched a house in Conifer Close for possible casualties after the alert was raised by neighbours at 5pm.

The blaze, caused by an overheated grill pan, was confined to the kitchen. No one was found inside.

On Thursday (May 19), crews were called to Woodland Close just before 10am after a cooker caught fire.

Kitchen blazes account for more than half of the accidental house fires and Mr Broadhead said: "To have three kitchen fires in just three days is a real concern.

"We'd urge people not to leave food unattended whilst cooking.

"It is very easy to forget about food cooking so we would advise people to remain in the kitchen until they have finished cooking and turn off all appliances after use."

Date for fireworks

GREAT Wyrley's annual bonfire night fireworks display will this year be held on November 3 on the Star field, off Walsall Road.

The event, organised by the parish council, has been traditionally held on November 5 but officials say this year the firework company wanted too much money for the display to be held on that date.

Labour plans to go it alone in new set-up

THE NEW Conservative leader in Cannock Chase had pledged to hold the Labour party to account as the council adjusts to its new political structure.

Earlier this month the Liberal Democrats were voted out of power in the district elections, losing six seats, with three going to each of Labour and the Conservatives.

That left Labour as the biggest party in Cannock with 17 seats, followed by the Conservatives on 13 and the Liberal Democrats on 11.

Labour party members were expected to confirm at the council's annual general meeting yesterday (Wednesday) that they were planning to rule without a coalition agreement.

Before the meeting Conservative leader Mike Sutherland said his party would be looking to implement some of the policies from its latest manifesto.

The Conservative presence on Cannock Chase Council is now at its highest ever level, which Councillor Sutherland said would bring a fresh approach to the table.

"Both we and Labour gained the same number of seats, in a clear message that the people believe we both have some of the right policies to take the district forward," Councillor Sutherland added.

"We believe that most of the reduction in spending that needs to be made this year can be achieved through smarter working and progressing shared services with the focus of minimal impact on frontline services.

"Therefore, on the one hand, we will be holding the Labour Party to account to ensure this takes place wherever and whenever possible.

"On the other hand, we are conscious that the electorate strongly endorsed our priorities of town centre regeneration, employment and tackling local crime to make Cannock Chase a better place to live and work.

Deputy

"Consequently, we will be seeking to implement some of our policies that work towards these goals."

Councillor Sutherland's deputy in the Conservative party is Graham Burnett.

Labour's new leader is George Adamson, with his deputy being Janos Toth, while the same positions for the Liberal Democrats are now led by Tony Williams and Mick Grocott.

The new chairman and leader of the council, as well as cabinet members, were also due to be confirmed at yesterday's meeting.

Lib Dems say no to alliance

THE Liberal Democrats in Cannock Chase have turned down a bid by the Conservative group to form a coalition administration.

The two parties were involved in a seven-year alliance which ended in February last year. Now the party, which failed to keep its slim control of the district council in this month's elections, has vowed to go it alone.

Party leader Councillor Tony Williams said the group had also rejected an offer from the ruling Labour group to take on the chairmanships of committees.

"We have no intention of working with the Tory or Labour groups on anything, despite being approached by both," said Councillor Williams.

"Members feel that to be true to the values and policies we've tried to bring in, we cannot form a coalition, full or otherwise, with either party."

Mr Williams, who was elected Lib Dem leader after former incumbent Neil Stanley became one of the high-profile losers, added that they also intended to distance themselves from the national party.

Students' wizard production

Wizard of Oz cast members at Norton Canes High School: Front. l to r: . Molly Gibson (aged 14) and Sian Howes (15); Back, l to r: Olivia Barker (16), Kane Stewart (16) and Steven Schnabel (12)

STUDENTS at a Cannock school followed the yellow brick road to their first production.

Children from Norton Canes High School are celebrating the success of their The Wizard Of Oz.

Students at the Burntwood Road school worked hard to learn lines and fit in rehearsals around their busy schedules.

The cast, made up from students in Years 7 to 11, spent hours preparing for the challenge. They were supported by various members of staff who were behind costumes, make-up, lighting and special effects.

Pupils from the nearby Norton Canes Primary were treated to an exclusive afternoon performance and there was a full house in the hall.

As well as support from the primary school, local businesses helped out, providing various props and offering support. All ages of the local community came together giving a real boost to the students efforts.

Production director Chris Smith said: "It was a challenge for all involved, but everyone rose to the occasion in true Norton style and pulled off a spectacular production."

Head teacher Sara Birchall added "I am so proud of the students for all their efforts."

Indoor football training classes

TWO FREE football coaching classes for children are being held in Rugeley next Monday (May 31).

Organised through The FA's Tesco Skills programme, the indoor sessions take place at Rugeley Youth Centre on Burnthill Lane.

Led by qualified Tesco Skills coach Emily Simpkins, they are aimed at five to 11 year olds and run from 10am-noon and 1-3pm.

The FA programme aims to provide free coaching to children in primary schools at after-school skill centres and FA Charter Standard clubs across the country.

It has provided more than two million places on football skills courses and aims to provide 4.7million places by 2014.

David North, Tesco UK Corporate Affairs director, said: "Our free taster sessions during the school holidays are a fantastic way to get into the wider FA Tesco Skills Programme.

"It's a great opportunity for children to get the best specialist coaching while also getting fit and active over the school holidays."

Visit **www.thefa.com /tescoskills** to sign up to the sessions in Rugeley.

Exercise sessions

A NEW exercise class is due to start in Huntington next month.

The class will concentrate on gentle exercise so is ideal for those just starting out on the health trail.

Classes will be taking place at Huntington Community Centre, in Stafford Road, each Monday starting on June 13 at 10am. The sessions cost £1.50.

Head to remain at helm of academy

A CHANGE of name for a Burntwood school will not take effect until the start of the new school year. Chasetown Specialist Sports College in Pool Road becomes an academy from July 1.

But the school has decided that its new name of Erasmus Darwin Academy will not officially start until the beginning of the 2011-2012 academic year. Head Bernice Astling will remain at the helm.

Governors voted in favour of becoming an academy at a special meeting after consultation. There will also be a new uniform. To view, visit www.chasetown.staffs.sch.uk

Election of new council chairman

A NEW chairman has been elected at Burntwood Town Council following a change of political control.

Labour group leader Councillor Eric Drinkwater was elected to succeed former Tory chairman Councillor Doug Constable at the annual council meeting. The local elections on May 5 resulted in Labour having 14 seats on the authority, with eight for the Conservatives. New vice-chairman is Councillor Rod Campbell.

The next full meeting of the council will be taking place in Burntwood Library at Sankeys Corner on June 30 at 7pm.

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Forest concert tickets on ebay to aid charity

THE MIDLANDS Air Ambulance is to get a boost from this year's Cannock Chase concerts at Birches Valley.

The charity has teamed up with the Forestry Commission to auction off tickets for the Erasure and Simple Minds gigs on June 24/25. A pair of tickets for each concert will go up for sale on internet auction site ebay at the beginning of June.

The tickets have been donated by the Forestry Commission in a bid to help raise money for the charity.

Andy Coggins, visitor services manager at the Forestry Commission, said: "We wanted to give something back to Midlands Air Ambulance as a thank you for the invaluable service that the charity provides.

Midlands Air Ambulance fundraising manager Maria Jones said: "This is a great opportunity to enjoy a fantastic gig while supporting the local air ambulance service."

St Luke's pupils and teachers celebrate the end of the Fiesta Fun event

Fiesta fun as children enjoy good life with dance project

PUPILS at a Cannock primary school enjoyed some fiesta fun at a special dance event which has been captured on film.

Children in Years Three to Six at St Luke's Primary met throughout the winter term to plan an event which showed the importance of dance.

The children, aged seven-to-11 worked with professional DJs, illustrators, and choreographers.

Pupils organised their own marketing and publicity, decorations and pricing, all based on the fiesta theme.

Jenny Hill, dance teacher at the school in New Penkridge Road, said: "The project not only showed everyone fun ways to get fit and healthy through dance but also gave pupils who worked on planning the event the opportunity to build their confidence and develop their team-working skills."

It was all filmed, from the planning of the event to the fiesta night itself, and is available to view on www.thegoodlife.uk.net

The scheme is part of The Good Life initiative, a project to promote enjoyable ways for families to get healthy, led by Cannock Chase Council and South Staffordshire Primary Care Trust.

For information on The Good Life project, call Lisa Shephard from the Council's Community Wellbeing team on 01543 462621.

Food fair caters for all tastes

A RANGE of mouth-watering local produce will be showcased near Penkridge next month.

Gailey Fruit Farm near Penkridge will be hosting its first ever food fair on June 18 and 19 and organisers are promising a fun event for all the family.

The free event, which takes place between 10am and 4pm on both days, also marks 10 years of trading for Gailey Fruit Farm.

A large marquee is being set up for people to look around the local food and drink products on sale. There will be also be a host of children's activities, including reptiles on show from Rodbaston campus of South Staffordshire College.

Other activities include plant pot painting and the chance to pick strawberries, while Hawkins Falconry will be on site on the Saturday.

On the Sunday, the MG owners club will be at the farm and there will be traction engine rides available.

Anne Geoghegan, chairman of South Staffordshire Tourism Association said: "The food fair is a great new event for the area and offers fantastic fun for all the family, without costing a fortune."

She said there would be a barbecue on both days with local sausages and burgers supplied by Mears Butchers, as well as freshly picked strawberries, local cream and freshly baked scones.

For further information about the day, people can call 07791 872577.

Recruitment bid by Legion

THE Burntwood and district branch of the Royal British Legion is hoping to increase membership as part of the charity's 90th birthday celebrations.

Branch member Berni Wilkins said they were also planning a sponsored walk around Chasewater, a casino night and quiz.

A visit is also being arranged from members of the Royal British Legion Riders Branch – motorcyclists who featured in the BBC documentary Wootton Bassett: The Town That Remembers.

The branch is keen to recruit both men and women who do not need to have served in the armed forces to help with fundraising including the annual Poppy appeal. The branch also plans to establish an active youth section.

Burntwood Memorial Institute opened in 1921 – the same year the RBL was founded – and remembers those who gave their lives in WWI.

Instructor's initiative in memory of crash victim

Come forward plea on free lessons offer

A DRIVING instructor has reissued a plea for learners to come forward for the offer of free lessons.

Helen Sadler, who runs the Drive with Direction Driving School, is offering the free lessons in memory of a Rugeley man who died in a car accident.

The offer has been made in memory of Ashley Burton, who died in February, 2010, after a car accident at Cannock's Orbital ring road. Since Mrs Sadler offered the free lessons, she has only received a handful of nominations and is keen for more people to come forward.

She said: "We have only had three or four people come forward and I would ideally like to hear from a lot more people."

Mrs Sadler is a friend of the 22-year-old crash victim's family.

Mrs Sadler, 39, will offer free lessons each year in a tribute to Ashley, a former Cardinal Griffin RC High School pupil who was known as 'Smiler.'

Ashley's mother Judith will decide who receives the service.

The instructor wants people to write to her explaining their situation and why they should be selected.

She added: "It can be a relative of someone, who needs financial help or struggles to pay for things because they are a carer — someone in that kind of predicament."

Theory

Mrs Sadler will then pass on the people's details to Ashley's mother to choose who she thinks is in most need of free lessons.

"I will pay for all their lessons, but they will still have to pay for their own theory and main test," she said.

Ashley, of Main Road, Brereton, died after his friend Jason Masters lost control of his three-litre X-type Jaguar on a patch of ice, crossing the central reservation and hitting an oncoming Clio and Peugeot.

The Jaguar's front seat passenger was Ashley.

Masters, aged 23, of Harrison Road, Cannock, admitted causing death by careless driving. He was jailed for 14 months and banned from driving for two years earlier this month.

The deadline for applications for the free driving lessons is June 15, and the offer will be relaunched in April 2012.

Mrs Sadler can be reached on 07813 214664.

Lorry trailer fire at distribution depot

A REFRIGERATED lorry trailer caught fire at a distribution centre in Cannock and spread to a nearby building.

The fire broke out at 3.50pm on Wednesday (May 18) at the Unilever UK Foods centre in Hickling Road, Kingswood Lakeside. The blaze also engulfed a liquid petroleum gas-powered forklift truck inside the trailer.

The distribution centre was evacuated as the fire damaged the exterior of the building and caused some minor damage inside.

It took firefighters about two hours to deal with the incident in which no one was injured.

Crew Commander Andy Read of Cannock fire station said the sprinkler system inside the building activated and helped prevent more serious damage inside.

Unilever spokesman Paul Matthews said the cause was under investigation.

Faggots and peas on railway

CHASEWATER Railway is running faggots and peas specials next month.

The evening trains will be running on Saturday, June 11 with the food served up on returns to Chasetown station. Walsall Symphony Orchestra visits the railway on July 2 for an evening show, and a model railway exhibition will be held in the heritage centre on July 10.

Call 01543 452623 to book tickets.

Pupils' brush with fame

Norton Canes High School pupils have chosen for the Open Art exhibition. Front; under 16s winner Rebecca Marfell (aged 14); Centre, l to r: Andrea Tomkinson (12) and Kimberley Jennings (13)

ARTWORK by pupils from Norton Canes High school was selected to feature in Stafford's Shire Hall Gallery annual Open Art Exhibition.

Work was selected to go on display as part of the under 16s competition, which is run to help inspire the artists of the future. This year celebrates the Gallery's 21st year of the competition and Norton Canes pupils were selected to showcase 15 of the 20 exhibits.

Fourteen-year-old Rebecca Marfell's entry won first prize in the 13 to 16-year-old category.

The exhibition runs until June 19.

No Chase visit leads to appeal

PEOPLE are being urged to let the Government know why the Chase is so important to them.

The leader of a campaign group looking to safeguard the future of the beauty spot wants people to write to the Independent Panel on Forestry to get them to visit the Chase.

Mark Davis, of Save Cannock Chase, is disappointed that the panel – formed by Environment Secretary Caroline Spelman – will visit the Forest of Dean, Northumberland and Kent in the summer but not the Chase.

He said: "I'm disappointed that they are not coming to Cannock, but we are going to keep pushing for it."

Mr Davis, who also heads the Facebook group What future for Cannock Chase forest? is asking people to both write to the panel and to contact the action group with their fears for the future of the Chase and why it is so important to them and their families.

He added: "We are going to send a submission in, featuring our concerns and points made by individual members of the public."

Mr Davis said a good level of response would demonstrate the strength of public opinion and fears about the future of the Chase.

Save Cannock Chase members are keen for the panel to realise that campaigners have not gone away since the Government's U-turn on selling off woodland. "We are keen for them to understand how much passion and concern is out there," added Mr Davis.

Get involved at www.savecannockchase. org.uk

Employer of the Year title

A CANNOCK-based Caterpillar dealership was one of the winners in the West Midlands regional heat of the National Apprenticeship Awards.

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Panel chairman axed over inquiry evidence

A BURNTWOOD councillor has backed the decision to sack Janet Eagland from her role as chairman of the county council's health scrutiny committee.

Councillor Eagland was axed following criticism of her evidence at the Stafford Hospital inquiry, leading to the first re-shuffle in two years under the county's current administration.

She made a sequence of admissions about the failures of the committee between 2005 and 2009, when, according to a Healthcare Commission report, hundreds of patients may have died because of poor care standards.

Councillor Eagland, the Deputy Mayor of Lichfield, acknowledged there was confusion between the health committees at the county and at Stafford Borough Council. The borough believed the county was in charge. However, she thought the borough took responsibility.

Councillor Steve Norman, who sits on Burntwood Town Council and is Lichfield District Council's Labour group leader, had written to county council leader Philip Atkins in March, requesting Councillor Eagland be removed from the post because of the harm to the council's reputation for good scrutiny.

The founder of Cure the NHS, Julie Bailey, had also called Councillor Eagland's evidence "embarrassing".

Speaking after the decision was made to sack Councillor Eagland, Councillor Norman, the former chairman of the county's children and lifelong learning scrutiny Committee, said: "I did not get a reply from the leader, Philip Atkins and assumed he would try and get rid of her quietly at the Annual Meeting rather than wait for the publication of the inquiry report.

"When Cabinet member, Councillor Matthew Ellis, was giving evidence earlier in the year he told the inquiry: 'At the end of the day, it's the leader that appoints the individuals that lead scrutiny committees.'

"So it was clear that Philip Atkins was responsible for the post for which she was evidently not qualified."

Councillor Norman added: "I actually like Janet but when her evidence is being used as an example of bad scrutiny in seminars around the country, then for the sake of Staffordshire's reputation and the confidence of residents in their elected representatives, she had to go."

Councillor Eagland will become vice-chairman of safeguarding scrutiny, a new 'super committee' amalgamating the former children's and adult care committees. She is replaced as health scrutiny chairman by Councillor Kath Perry, who represents Cheslyn Hay, Essington and Great Wyrley.

Delivery helps Lions to plant cash in coffers

VOLUNTEERS have helped to deliver more than £17,000 worth of bedding plants to help boost local charities.

Lions Clubs in The Burntwood, Walsall and Kingswinford and Stourbridge, delivered thousands of leaflets to residents in their areas with lists of plants.

The residents then bought the plants with profits going to the Lions charity.

It is the fifth such event to be staged by the Burntwood voluntary group.

Not only did Burntwood Lions' fundraising chairman, John Wallage, aged 52, arrange for the plants to be bought, but, alongside volunteers he helped to package them before delivering 500 plus orders to homes across the area.

"If we didn't have the friends of the Lions, we couldn't have put on such a major operation," he said.

"Even some of the customers placing orders came to help us," he added.

"This is the fifth year we've done it – we took the idea from Oswestry Lions and developed it."

"It's brilliant when everything goes to plan," Mr Wallage added.

Mr Wallage estimated that the joint operation could have helped raise as much as £3,000 for the coffers of the Burntwood Lions organisation.

Gary Porter delivers bedding plants and hanging baskets from the Lions Club to homes in Burntwood

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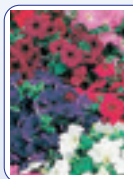

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Rosemary Bee, Linda Hopley, her daughter Dawn and Dan Horoba (aged 15) share their talents with visitors to St Luke's Church, Cannock

Talents on show at town church

A CANNOCK church gave parishioners the chance to showcase their talents with both young and old getting involved.

In a local version of the TV show Britain's Got Talent, Brownies and Guides from the town helped church members put on a creative atmosphere as regular worshippers and visitors came to see what was going on.

Youngsters reproduced some of the special musical tunes they had prepared for last month's Royal Wedding, while other parishioners displayed their skills as artists or musicians.

Rev Michael Whatmough, of St Luke's Church in Church Street, said: "It was a chance for people to show their talents.

"The money raised went to support Christian Aid and various other charities as well as putting some towards the church costs."

Cohen visit

RUGBY union World Cup winner Ben Cohen is visiting Cannock with another ex- international Harry Ellis. They will be attending a rugby sportsman's evening at the Premier Suite on September 15.

Colourist turns on the style to win top award

A HAIR colourist from Cannock has proven she's a cut above after bagging a top accolade for her salon.

Laura Maguire of The Francesco Group salon, on South Close, was awarded colourist of the year at the group's internal award ceremony, on May 8.

The group, which has 32 salons and more than 550 staff, hosts its own awards evening, every year, to recognise those creating waves in the industry.

Laura, who was judged on her technique, loyal clientele and high number of client recommendations, said: "Seeing the trophy take pride of place in the salon is an amazing feeling.

"I love colour and I am so lucky that every day I can devote my time to transforming my clients."

Sprinklers plea after hotel blaze

A MAN who lost his mother and brother in a hotel fire is leading a campaign for sprinkler safety systems to be fitted in all new buildings.

Monica Hughes, aged 86, and her 43-year-old son Peter, from Cheslyn Hay, died along with 80-year-old Joan Harper, from Stoke-on-Trent, when the Penhallow Hotel in Newquay, Cornwall, burned to the ground in August 2007.

Mr Hughes was head of physics at Weston Road High School in Stafford.

His brother John has now said sprinklers are vital. The hotel had no sprinklers fitted and Mr Hughes, of Shrewsbury has said that had they been, he might still have his brother and mother alive today.

Staffordshire County Council rejected advice from the county's fire and rescue crews to install sprinklers at its new Tipping Street headquarters. Bosses said the new building did not legally require the sprinklers, despite a plea from firefighters for the devices to be put in place.

The refusal to consider sprinklers comes as legislation on a move to make it mandatory for new residential areas to have sprinklers is making its way through Parliament. Wales made fire sprinklers compulsory in all new homes after it was passed by the Welsh Assembly in February.

Charges

And Mr Hughes said: "I see no reason why sprinklers can't be rolled out across the UK. They save people's lives and buildings."

About 90 people escaped from the 54-bedroom hotel – an incident described the worst British hotel fire in 40 years. The hotel's owner, O&C Holdsworth Ltd, of Harrison Road, Halifax, Yorkshire, admitted two charges relating to fire safety breaches.

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How to live in a Con/Dem world

JUST who comes first when the cost of being British is: £8.7bn in overseas aid, £12.5bn to support the Euro, £16.8 bn – and rising – EU membership costs and £100bn to bomb Gaddafi?

Here are five ways to live in a Con/Dem world.

1. Don't own anything worth stealing; 2. Don't travel anywhere; 3. Don't use gas and electricity(buy a thick coat); 4. Don't grow old; 5. For God's sake, don't fall ill.

What a wonderful testament for the first year in office.

HELEN OF HEDNESFORD

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Expenses scandal tainted faith in the political system

I AM not surprised "Helen of Hednesford" did not want to reveal her identity for her misleading attack on Aidan Burley's expenses claims.

Her politically motivated suggestions that he is abusing the system by double claiming on certain items borders on the libellous.

She alleges that on September 28 last year Mr Burley improperly gained £106 by claiming twice for a journey of 132 miles from London to Cannock. Surely it cannot have been outside her imagination to realise that he travelled up in the morning and then returned to Westminster in the evening, having completed a series of engagements in the constituency?

"Helen" further claims that Mr Burley has defrauded the taxpayer of £2,000 through over claiming for the cost of petrol.

In common with the vast majority of people who use their own vehicles on business, MPs claim mileage allowance at the rate approved by HMRC. This was 40p per mile and is designed to also compensate the user for the wear and tear on the vehicle and the additional servicing required.

She lastly suggests that Mr Burley deliberately overstates the length of journeys made within the constituency. IPSA, the parliamentary expenses authority does not ask for the detail of every minor journey and stop on route. They ask for the "constituency mileage" travelled on a certain day.

The MPs' expenses scandal tainted all sitting MPs and faith in our political system. Accusations of corruption like these should not be made lightly, and her "typical Tory" comment reveals her true motives.

She should now have the courage to reveal her true identity and issue a fulsome retraction.

IAN COLLARD
AGENT FOR AIDAN BURLEY MP

Workers on the dole as fat cats get fatter

IS the taxpayer better off with public sector jobs being handed over to the private sector?

The Labour Party and now the Con/Dems keep telling the public that we have to cut the public sector jobs and that they should be given to the private sector to run to save money.

The big question is: Does it save the taxpayer money or do we still pay into the industries?

I asked the following questions and these are the answers from my local MP.

Question: When the private companies took control of the railways did they pay for the completion of the electrification or was it paid for by the taxpayer?

Answer: The rail network is still only 40 per cent electrified by mileage. Network Rail (owned by the taxpayer) is funding some electrification but obtains benefits to the taxpayer for this, for example: improved travel times for passengers and reduced national carbon footprint.

Question: Do these companies pay for the electricity used to run the trains? If so how is the cost distributed as they use the same tracks? If they don't then who pays it and how much is the bill each year?

Answer: Train operators pay Network Rail for running services on Network Rail lines (who have to pay for the upkeep and repair of all the tracks). We don't hold the information about the level or apportionment of such charges.

Question.: Does the taxpayer pay any money into the running of the rail system and if so how much?

Answer: To the best of my understanding the taxpayer does pay money into rail services in much the same way that taxes also go to support maintaining policing, and investing into roads, waterways and air traffic. Transport is critical to any national economy.

My next question regarded the biggest immoral money maker for the private sector – the prisons.

We lock thousands of people away every year for making money from crime so how can these hypocritical Governments hand over our jails to the private sector so they can make money out of crime? Even worse than that they use taxpayer's money to subsidise them.

Question: If a public sector prison or one that has been built with taxpayers' money is given to the private sector to run do they pay rent to the taxpayer for use of the buildings and if so how much? Also, who is responsible for the upkeep of the buildings and for any damage done? New prisons that are or have been built and run by the private sector, who is paying for them to be built?

Answer: There are 11 jails operated by the private sector of these nine have been built using private finance initiative (PFI) arrangements, under which the private sector design, construct, manage and finance the prison over the contract period – usually 27 years in length allowing two years construction followed by 25 years of operation. At the end of the term the jails are handed over to the public ownership.

Two other prisons are run on the basis of management only agreement. Under these arrangements the prison stays in the public ownership throughout in PFI contract. It is usual for all lifetime maintenance costs including insurable losses for damage to be the responsibility of the provider.

The cost of this forms part of the contract price. Providers are expected to be responsible for wear and tear maintenance with the public sector (taxpayers) retaining responsibility for larger capital replacements such as boilers and kitchen facilities.

Every time Governments give away our public run companies to the private sector so they can make big fat profits the only thing saved is workers' wages.

However that is not always a saving because the private companies tend to cut the labour force so they can profit even more and the rest are made unemployed – costing the taxpayer most of what has been saved. And, when added to what we have to pay to subsidise the private companies it could end up costing the taxpayer more.

We should stand up to these politicians and say enough is enough.

The businesses should be kept in the public sector and stop putting hard-working people on the dole whilst making the fat cats fatter.

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We are the only Party in Burntwood to hold advice surgeries and are finalising times.

Once again, we promise to stand up for Burntwood, whether it is to do all we can in helping to develop a new town centre, arguing for two health centres or persuading the Conservatives on the District and County Councils to drop their desire for a waste transfer station situated in Burntwood.

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£500,000 project to increase size of building

Extension work starts at community centre

L to r: Councillors Doris Grice, Laurie Bowman and Bob Stokes with Hednesford Town Council chairman Alan Pearson

RENOVATION work has begun begins to make Pye Green Community Centre one of the most energy efficient in the Midlands.

The £500,000 extension project will make the Greenheath Road building a third bigger than its original size.

It is being supported with £15,000 funding from Ibstock Cory Environmental Trust (ICET) and £30,000 from Staffordshire Environmental Fund.

In addition to a ground heat pump and solar panels to heat the building, the centre will benefit from a new kitchen and meeting rooms.

Pye Green Community Centre was originally built in the 1970s and has always been a popular focal point for the community.

It is open seven days a week, housing many different groups but its design is struggling to cope with the increasing number of community organisations that want to use it.

The extension will provide facilities for Citizen Advice Bureau outreach and police and councillors' surgeries, while there will also be an IT suite and a light filled exhibition space.

Funding from ICET will be used to demolish the old kitchen and replace it with a modern, fully equipped facility.

Staffordshire Environmental Fund (SEF) has provided £30,000 to ensure access to the premises is improved.

Alan Pearson, Hednesford Town Council chairman, said: "We are delighted that this project is forging forward and I'm sure it will provide an essential meeting place for many of the locals.

"We are all excited about the project and especially our new kitchen and improved public facilities as the existing ones really were past their best."

John Dutton, SEF's Chief Executive said: "SEF is delighted to have supported this much needed project as it meets its objectives of benefiting the community and the environment and shows self help from the project owner too."

Worthwhile

Angela Haymonds, Secretary of ICET, said: "Pye Green Community Centre has a long history of providing a fun environment with the opportunity to meet friends, exercise or sing and dance.

"With £15,000 from ICET, I'm sure that their new kitchen will be put to excellent use.

"The Trustees of ICET are delighted to be associated with such a worthwhile project which will serve the community of Hednesford for many years to come."

The refurbishment work will take six months and will be managed so that the centre can remain open and operational while the work is completed.

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Making a difference to hundreds of lives

FOR hundreds of people across the Cannock and Rugeley area, caring for loved ones with serious illnesses is a full-time job.

Yet many are not aware that help is available free of charge from leading local charity St Giles Hospice.

St Giles' Hospice at Home service has been dedicated to supporting patients, their carers and their families, since 2002, when it was established in the area with the help of a generous legacy from a local benefactor.

The role of the service is to provide practical nursing support to enable patients with cancer and other serious illnesses to receive high-quality care in their own homes.

Working alongside GPs and district nurses, Hospice at Home allows patients to remain within the familiar and reassuring surroundings of home while providing much-valued respite for their carers and families – at no cost whatsoever to those who benefit from the service.

According to a recent study commissioned by national charity Help the Hospices, almost two-thirds of the half a million people who die in Britain each year would wish to do so in their own home with loved ones around them, and yet the vast majority of that number are dying in hospital instead.

These findings highlight the importance of St Giles' Hospice at Home service, which is making a real difference to the lives of hundreds of local people across the area.

Hospice at Home helps patients like Graham Marsh enjoy pleasures that most take for granted

So caring and nice and did brilliant job

Lightening the load – the carer's story

JIMMY Brown didn't think twice when Glenys, his wife of 35 years, developed a serious illness and became unable to look after herself.

Like any devoted husband, he felt it was his role to take care of his lifelong partner and his instinct was to ensure that her every need was always taken care of – whatever the time of day or night.

For carers like Jimmy, this round-the-clock responsibility is often taken on without question or thought for their own wellbeing, but the burden of providing constant support for a partner or family member can often be difficult for the carer to cope with.

It was for this reason that St Giles' Hospice at Home service came as a breath of fresh air for retired engineer Jimmy. Previously, the father-of-three had been obliged to care for Glenys himself, with the help of their daughter – but Hospice at Home offered them valuable support by visiting the couple's Cannock home during the final weeks and months before Glenys passed away in January. "When my wife became quite ill and was unable to help herself, it was up to my daughter and I to provide the care she needed, which at times was quite a struggle," said Jimmy, a grandfather-of-five.

"We hadn't even been aware of St Giles' Hospice at Home service, but somebody mentioned to us that they might be able to help out.

"The Hospice at Home carers visited every morning to change my wife's clothes, to give her a wash, to change her bedsheets if necessary and to generally help her feel more comfortable.

"They also visited in the afternoon and sometimes I had a carer overnight so I could get a good night's sleep. They are so caring and nice and they did a fantastic job looking after my wife and lightening the load for me.

"When I was on my own it was sometimes difficult to help her in the way I wanted, but the Hospice at Home carers have the specialist knowledge and skills to know exactly what she needed – and they were always in tune with what was going on. I would recommend Hospice at Home to anyone in my situation. It is just such a brilliant service."

Sandra Tierney

Care suited for the individual's needs

Caring for individuals – the professional's story

THE Hospice at Home ethos is to provide the highest quality care possible to suit the needs of each individual patient in their own homes.

Hospice at Home offers a flexible approach to care, ranging from help with washing, mealtimes and getting ready for bed, to providing respite for a carer, or simply providing company and emotional support for those nearing the ends of their lives.

Sandra Tierney, Senior Health Care Assistant for St Giles, visits patients in the Cannock area. She said: "Our aim is to help patients have the things that they need during their illness and at the end of their lives.

"This includes making sure they are comfortable, that they have someone to listen to them and reassure them, and that their personal care needs are looked after, so they can have the dignity and quality of life they deserve.

"We offer the kind of service that cannot usually be provided in hospital. Our home visits aren't rushed and it's much more than a functional visit.

"For example, after helping patients with washing, we can massage in moisturising cream so that their skin feels more comfortable, and they feel more relaxed and pampered.

"When you're at the end of your life it's easy to think that you and your family may have to cope with limited help and care. But we do care, and by taking time to get to know our patients during visits, we build up a trust and friendship that really matters."

Sandra added: "It can even just be as simple as having a cup of tea with the patient. Some of our patients are not lucky enough to have a loved-one looking after them all the time, and they appreciate the company, reassurance and time that we can give them." For their carers, this can be very important too. Often isolated because they have limited opportunity to see friends, they may also be worried about what will happen as their loved one's illness progresses.

"Respite care is an important part of our role," said Sandra. "Being there lets the carer take time out to go shopping, have a break, or even just do some gardening.

"We also provide what we call a 'twilight shift' in the evenings, to help patients get ready for bed, and night care to look after patients overnight so that their carers can get the rest that they need.

"Caring for a loved-one is a tiring, 24/7 occupation and they deserve and need support to carry on caring.

"The most fulfilling aspect of working with the Hospice at Home service is seeing the smiles on patients' faces when we're there, and knowing that we are doing something to make the end of their life happier."

Facts and figures about Hospice at Home

- **Overseen by Community Palliative Care Team Manager Kay Greene, the Hospice at Home team is managed by Louise Savage, and comprises three part-time sisters and 14 part-time healthcare assistants working a flexible rota to provide round the clock care.**
- **In 2009/10, Hospice at Home received 569 patient referrals – 16 per cent more than in the previous year – and conducted 3,394 patient visits – a 55 per cent increase on the previous year**
- **The Hospice at Home service works closely alongside St Giles' Clinical Nurse Specialist service to provide complete care for patients at home**

More about the service

- **St Giles Hospice at Home service is available to patients with cancer and other serious illnesses in the Cannock and Rugeley area, as well as across the charity's wider catchment area. It is one of a number of different services provided for free by St Giles to local people.**
- **Patients and carers who feel they could benefit from Hospice at Home can find out more about this and the other St Giles Hospice services available by visiting the website at www.stgileshospice.com. Alternatively, they can discuss the possibility of being referred to St Giles with their GP or District Nurse.**

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Speaker tells of Moseley Old Hall

CANNOCK TOWNSWOMEN

SPEAKER for the May meeting was Malcolm Astley who enthralled everyone with his passionate and enthusiastic presentation on Moseley Old Hall, Featherstone.

He talked about the architecture and interior of the Elizabethan National Trust property and also the domestic life and Royal connections. He pointed out the priest hole where Charles II hid from Cromwell's troops.

Gillian Gallear gave the vote of thanks.

Following April's speaker, the reading group will be finding out more about the Tudor period by reading 'The Other Boleyn Girl' by Philippa Gregory.

The meeting welcomed a new member, Cynthia Leach and guest Diana Beasley.

Paula asked members if they would like to donate small items to 'front line' soldiers of the 3 Mercian Stafford Regiment. Members could also send a postcard with a short message. Items will be collected at the next meeting.

Paula Smith and Leslie Wilkes fed back on a questionnaire, which asked members for suggestions for visits. There was interest in going to the seaside, especially Llandudno.

They have arranged an evening visit on July 28 to Sugnall Hall gardens, Eccleshall, followed by a cream tea.

HEDNESFORD AFTERNOON TOWNSWOMEN

A pleasant trip to Tewkesbury

THE meeting on Monday May 9 featured a very interesting speaker, Suzanne Hewitt from The National Osteoporosis Society.

She passed on some very useful information about this debilitating disease.

Thanks were passed on to Katherine Hughes for her successful coffee morning which raised £85 for charity.

On May 4, 32 members and friends went on a pleasant coach trip to Tewkesbury and tour of the surrounding area which was made delightful by the very good weather.

On April 20, 19 members enjoyed a carvery meal at The Jubilee Inn. The next lunch club meeting will be at The Bridge House Inn, Penkridge on June 22.

Our speaker for the June 13 meeting is Helen Bradin who will be talking about 'A day in the life of a solicitor'.

Meetings take place at St Peter's Church Hall on the second Monday of each month at 2pm.

Enquiries can be made with the chairman Doreen Archer on 01543 877987.

Annual dinner sees guests entertained

RUGELEY LIONS

RUGELEY Lions held their 19th annual charter dinner on Saturday May 21.

The event, to mark the club's inauguration was held at St Thomas' Priory Golf Club.

More than 80 guests from fellow Lions clubs and a variety of other local charitable organisations were entertained.

In view of the Lions president's origins there was a Herefordian cider theme to the evening and having had the guest speaker cancel at late notice his place was taken by a large scarecrow.

This event marks the end of the Rugeley Lions year which has seen many fundraising events take place, including a family fun day, a stall at the Charter Fair, can collections for local people in need, the Santa Sleigh before Christmas (with the help of our associates from Rugeley Rotary), the Father Christmas grotto at Wolseley Bridge Garden Centre, and a variety of ongoing charity and environmental projects to provide for numerous donations to local and international causes.

High on the list of supporters this year was Helen Burgin who did a self-funded sponsored parachute jump which had a happy landing and will raise more than £500.

Rugeley Lions also enjoy a very active social life and regularly meet for meals out, walks and any excuse for a knees-up.

Lions is the world's largest international service club organisation. For information on joining visit **www.e-clubhouse.org/sites/rugeleyuk** or contact Mac Singleton on 0845 833 2904.

History of Arboretum is topic of talk

CANNOCK WI

PRESIDENT Stella Winfield welcomed members and two new visitors. Birthday wishes were given to Shirley Johnson for June 3.

Best wishes go to Barbara Addison, Peggy Reeks and former member Joan Carey who have not been well recently.

Secretary Chris Pace announced the minutes of April's AGM would be put out for members to read. Everyone had enjoyed the fish and chip lunch that followed.

A list of forthcoming SFWI events was then announced, including: Barbara Powell fashion show at the Moat House at Acton Trussell on June 22, an outing to Stratford-upon-Avon on July 14.

The Lady Denman Cup competition is for a short story on the theme of the WI 2025. Stories must be no longer than 500 words and the closing date is June 30. Entries for the design and make a novelty pin cushion competition close on August 25. Members were also informed of the cancellation of the MS Cake Break on May 20.

A discussion followed on the 2011 resolutions which are on the closure of libraries and mega farming. A decision will be taken at the NFWI AGM in Liverpool on June 8.

Del Johnson informed members the bowling season had now started.

The social secretary stated that seats were still available for the Llandudno outing on June 21.

A list for proposed future outing was passed around.

Joyce Guillaume's craft morning and Stella's games day were cancelled due to holidays.

The Cookery group enjoyed smoked salmon and bacon and mushroom quiche followed by profiteroles and chocolate sauce. Speaker Mr Brown from The National Memorial Arboretum gave a very informative and most interesting talk on the history of how the site in Alrewas was created.

He explained how money was raised and continues to do so to help plant and maintain the trees, plants, and wonderful monuments in honour of thousands of brave servicemen who lost their lives.

WI Clubs in the Staffordshire Federation raised money for a lovely seat to be built at the Arboretum.

Del Johnson gave the vote of thanks and Jan Anderson won the competition for a Prayer book.

Due to refurbishing at the church hall, the June Meeting is cancelled.

There will instead be a social morning followed by lunch at The President's home on Thursday, June 9 at 11am.

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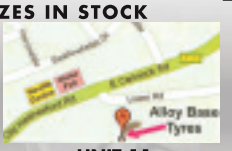

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Take the main road to meal of many dishes

Basmati, Penkridge

Basmati owners Akhtar Ahmed, left, and Mohammed Hussain

AN old village pub is enjoying a new lease of life as an Indian restaurant.

Owner Mohammed Hussain invested £250,000 in the project to transform the former George & Fox in Penkridge into the Basmati.

Less than two months in and the venture looks to have immediately paid off.

The restaurant is located on the main Wolverhampton Road, at Stone Cross, and looks fabulous inside. The first thing that struck my partner and me on entering was the number of dishes around the centre of the room, but with a chef happily cooking away in the middle of it all.

And that is the beauty of it. Diners can order from the a la carte menu – and there is an extensive choice – but most of them opt for the buffet. Three courses, 60 dishes in all, for just £11.95 per head.

The food is all laid out for people to help themselves, as much or as little as they want and as many times as they wish.

Naturally, we were spoiled for choice. But even if there's something else that customers want, then the chef can rustle it up for them.

Usually on visits to Indian restaurants we will choose the poppadoms as starters. This time around, with Chinese and Thai food also served, our plates were full of crab claws, bhajis, vegetable rolls, spring rolls, Singapore loaf, sesame bread and sheek kebabs. Pizza and chips are also an option, while vegetarians are also catered for.

With our appetites whetted, it came round to the mains, and there was still a host of dishes I was unable to try. One that I did was dished up specially by the chef, a monkfish red curry. Delicious. But still time for desserts, which included an ice cream maker!

The night of our visit was particularly busy, but weekends see even more customers dining out at the 120-seat restaurant. Many opted for the buffet, though the a la carte menu remains popular, and competitively priced, with choices ranging from sizzling dishes, chef specialities, combination dishes and barbecues specials alongside the more traditional curryhouse favourites. The Basmati employs around 17 staff, who just get on with their job while allowing the diner to enjoy their food.

Owner Mr Hussain, from Wednesbury, owns four other restaurants and has worked as a chef for more than 20 years. Partner at the Basmati is Akhtar Ahmed. Both are delighted, yet not surprised at the way the restaurant has caught on among the public.

The Basmati restaurant at Wolverhampton Road, Stone Cross, Penkridge

Ideally placed between Cannock and Stafford, Mr Hussain said: "We are really pleased with the premises. The location is fantastic."

And, of the novel buffet style, he said: "If you order one meal and you don't like it, there's no going back. This way, you can try different things and if you like it have some more."

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Police buoyed by fall in crime rate

THE total number of crimes committed in Cannock Chase has fallen in the last 12 months.

Burglaries, robberies and vehicle crime have shown the biggest drop.

The number of assaults has fallen by just one per cent – but this category of crime is believed to be on course to show a big improvement.

Chief Inspector Carl Ratcliffe, police commander for Cannock Chase, said he was encouraged by the latest figures, for the year ending in March. Overall crime has fallen from 6,813 to 6,598, a reduction of 225 and a total three per cent reduction.

Crimes involving burglary, robbery and vehicle theft have fallen by seven per cent, from 1,022 to 955.

Business crime has also shown a significant drop, with 922 cases of company break-ins, criminal damage and shop-lifting compared with 957 for the previous year. Mr Ratcliffe has put the positive trend down to regular meetings with offenders throughout their time in custody and after their release.

A special group of officers has been assigned to the integrated offenders' management unit which also involves members of probation, alcohol and drug dependency agencies, housing and employment.

Police have several meetings a week with higher profile convicts, said Mr Ratcliffe.

"It's about breaking the cycle of offending by ensuring they're getting treatment for their dependency, they've got somewhere to live once they're out and they've got some form of job or training."

Mr Ratcliffe added the figures reflected the work being done on identifying the location of the worst offenders and patrolling trouble hotspots to prevent crime or catch offenders red-handed.

Ancient Greece is the topic for pupils

Tony Sherratt from Timezone teaches pupils Sophie Chetter and Lewis Hurmson (both aged 10) about the Greeks at Moat Hall Primary School

PUPILS at a Great Wyrley school had great fun learning about ancient Greece.

A Greek day was held at Moat Hall Primary in Johns Lane when Wolverhampton-based education company Timezone visited.

A group of 65 Year 5 pupils took a step back in time as part of the humanities project.

During the morning the children experienced Greek life through a conflict drama, Athens v Sparta. The afternoon was dedicated to Greek games and education using wax tablets, pen and ink.

To enhance the experience, a special lunch consisting of Greek lamb and karpoozi salad was provided.

Festival supports Newlife

A CANNOCK charity has been nominated by the organisers of Lichfield Folk Festival as its chosen cause for next month's annual event.

The festival – a weekend of dance and music – takes place from from June 17 to June 19.

The Newlife Foundation, based in Hemlock Way, is appealing for volunteers to help raise money on the charity's behalf at designated collection points around the city centre on the Saturday of the festival between 10am and 3.30pm. Call Amy Weiser on 01543 468888 or email **aweiser@newlifecharity.co.uk**

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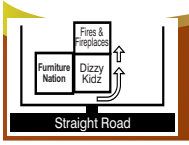

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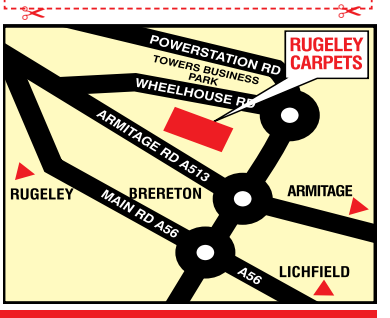

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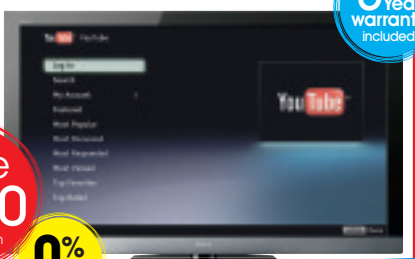

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Children's charity in appeal for volunteers

STUDENTS and the jobless are being urged to lend a hand at a leading children's charity.

Cannock-based Newlife Foundation is appealing to anyone with a few hours to spare this summer.

The charity is particularly appealing to the unemployed, students on summer break or recent graduates, who may be looking to boost their CV, while helping disadvantaged children.

Heather Campbell, Newlife Community Relations Officer, said: "The Newlife offices, warehouse and opportunity centre help us generate funds to support disabled children through equipment grants, a nurse helpline, medical research and campaigning activities.

"When there's a drop in volunteer numbers it has a knock-on effect on our fundraising capabilities, and the summer months can mean a dip in helpers.

"This year we would like to offset this by recruiting early," she said.

Heather said it was an opportunity for local people to widen their skills and boost their employment prospects.

Volunteering work will be carried out at the charity's headquarters at Hemlock Way, Hawks Green. Jobs will consist of sorting and preparing stock for sale, organising fundraising events and administration duties.

Surplus stock, donated from more than 400 retailers, is sold at discounted prices at the Newlife superstore. Profits help fund the Newlife Foundation's charitable work, supporting families of disabled and sick children.

Volunteers qualify for a stock discount after they achieve 25 hours of work. There is no minimum requirement of volunteer hours, but most people make a regular commitment of at least half a day once a fortnight.

Wendy Wright, aged 49, from Hednesford, was diagnosed with neurological disorder dystonia five years ago and has helped out at Newlife's Opportunities Centre for almost a year.

"I think the volunteering helped boost my confidence and I would encourage anyone who is on benefits or wants to get back into work to give this a try," she said.

Abbie Rowley, 21, of Heath Hayes, has helped out two days a week for two years, unpacking, sorting and de-labelling stock.

She said: "I am currently looking for a part-time job, but I will still volunteer at Newlife."

Angela Nolan-Fellows, Rose Newman and Caroline Morley celebrate the new range of sunglasses with an Hawaiian week at Colin Lee Opticians, Rugeley

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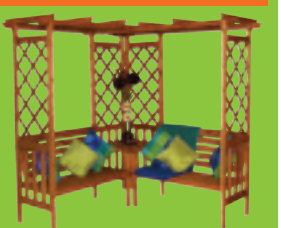

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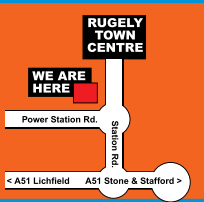

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Fundraising? Take it as red

CHILDREN and staff at a Cannock school dressed in red for the day to raise money for a cause close to their hearts.

The day was held at Norton Canes Primary, in School Road, after two of their pupils, Jack Groom and Amy Hurley, wanted to raise money for a charity that has supported them.

Jack, aged nine, and Amy, eight, have both been affected by Leukaemia, so money raised on the day will be donated to Leukaemia and Lymphoblast Research.

Teaching assistant Mary Russell, who works with Jack, said: "They have both had leukaemia, and so wanted to hold the day to raise money.

"The other children at the school are very aware of leukaemia.

"They all had to know and be aware of infection and they have all been very supportive of the two.

"It was Jack and Amy's idea to hold the day," she added.

All the children and teachers made sure they dressed in red and it was a really good day."

Around £300 was raised.

Norton Canes Primary School pupils wear red for Leukaemia and Lymphoblast research

Helpers are sought for Hoard tour

VOLUNTEERS are sought to help Lichfield Cathedral host the Staffordshire Hoard.

The Staffordshire Hoard On Tour exhibition will be displayed at the cathedral's historical Chapter House from July 30 until August 21.

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Extra boxing clubs to cope with demand

NEW boxing clubs are being launched to cope with demand for places and to help reduce anti-social behaviour.

The Right Stuff club was set up in Chadsmoor in January following the advent of successful clubs in Stone, Stafford and Huntington. The Wednesday evening club at Coniston Hall, in Cecil Street, has 33 young people taking part and was officially launched last night.

Now, due to additional funding from the Chase Community Safety Partnership, more clubs will be opening soon, including classes for eight to 12-year-olds, 13-to-19-year-olds and one for females. The Right Stuff targets young people who could be at risk of becoming involved in anti-social behaviour, but is open to everyone aged 10 and over.

Youngsters learn the techniques and skills of amateur boxing, earning certificates, medals and education credits along the way. In return, they undertake community tasks.

The project is led by Staffordshire Police in association with Cannock Chase Council's Resident Champions Group and Staffordshire County Council. Also involved is Addiction Dependency Solutions.

Right Stuff project leader Pc Andy Whitehall said: "We're hoping to get the new clubs up and running soon."

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Growth the key for award-winning firm

AN award-winning Cannock firm has been congratulated on its growth by Chase MP Aidan Burley.

The flourishing business, Key Precision Ltd, was established in 2004 and is a manufacturer of precision turned parts, inserts for plastic and sheet metal fasteners.

Based on Phoenix Road, Hawks Green, the company uses the very latest CNC (computer numerical control) machines, to undertake customised manufacturing of parts for a diverse range of industries and has recently been awarded as the Black Country Supplier of the year.

The company, which employs 22 people, is now expanding into the aerospace industry with the support of NatWest, with the possibility of creating an additional two jobs.

The Conservative MP visited Key Precision Ltd, following talks with NatWest management about support for small and medium sized enterprises in the area.

He said: "I was delighted to visit Key Precision and talk with the management about their success.

"It is vital the Government supports businesses like this, which along with other small and medium size businesses create much of the sustainable growth and jobs that will drive our economic recovery.

"These remain tough times for many businesses, but they have shown that Cannock Chase is a great place to do business even in a difficult economic environment."

Neil Dawson, Director of Key Precision Ltd said "This is an extremely exciting time for our business and we're delighted that Aidan has taken the time to come and see us about our plans.

"We've got a fantastic workforce and this will go a long way to help us grow and achieve long term success for the business.

"We're maximising the opportunities we have at the moment and are confident we can continue grow further and hopefully provide more local jobs.

NatWest Development Manager, Andy Tuck, said "These are undoubtedly more challenging economic times for the business community but we remain focussed on funding the investment to help businesses throughout the local area to develop and grow."

From left: Andy Tuck (NatWest Business Manager), Richard Jefferies (NatWest Business Director), Tony Dawson (Key Precision Ltd), Aidan Burley MP, Emma Dawson (Key Precision Ltd), Neil Dawson (Director Key Precision Ltd), Adam Dawson (Key Precision

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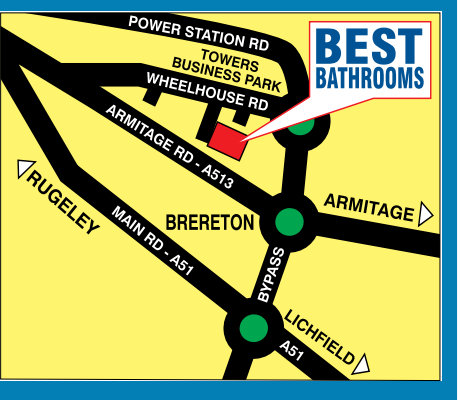

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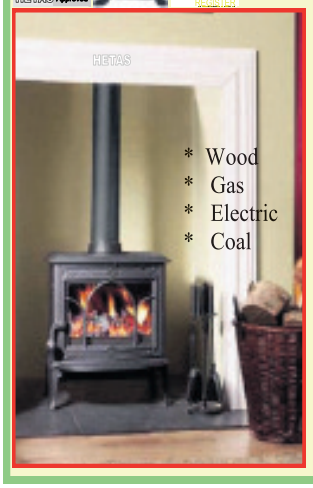

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Blueprint approved

A NEW strategy for the future development of Burntwood has been approved by town councillors.

It contains 12 objectives and has been put together over the last year.

Town clerk Mary Danby said the council could now begin to implement the measures.

The strategy covers the next 15 years and includes preserving the quality of life.

The council aims to attract quality businesses to make use of unoccupied buildings and vacant sites.

Councillors will also be looking at aways to improve public transport. New housing will be directed to brownfield and urban sites.

Site transfer to secure long-term future

County takes on park ownership

STAFFORDSHIRE County Council has taken over the ownership of Chasewater Country Park and its reservoir.

The ownership has been transferred from Lichfield District Council in a move that aims to secure and strengthen the site's long-term future.

The site is home to one of the largest reservoirs in the West Midlands and a country park that attracts around 150,000 visitors a year.

Chasewater Country Park will continue to be managed by a team at Lichfield District Council for the next three years.

And the county council will lead the completion of the essential £3m improvement works to the dam.

Work to repair the dam has recently caused financial problems for Chasewater Railway, which has lost revenue while repairs are carried out near its heritage line. The railway has had to stop charging passengers the full fare as they can no longer use the whole line.

Railway spokesman Brian Marks said the firm was in discussions with Lichfield District Council to resolve the situation before the Bank Holiday weekend.

Mr Marks said the railway had probably lost thousands in takings and will work out the exact figure after a meeting between executives.

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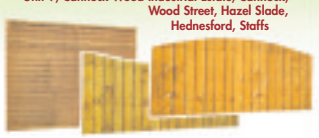

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A NOSTALGIC exhibition is being staged at the Museum of Cannock Chase from June 25. The 1950s – Having it so Good, will run at the Valley Road, Hednesford, venue until August 14. It will feature photos, posters, advertisements and objects from the decade.

Sean Tudor prepares for Britain's Got Variety

Sean's in fine voice for variety contest

A PENKRIDGE teenager is heading towards success in a national talent competition after seeing off more than 30 competitors in the first round.

Sean Tudor, aged 17, is through to the final regional stage of Britain's Got Variety, which offers the winner the chance to perform at London's 02 Arena.

The trainee fitness instructor was unable to make the Birmingham auditions but wowed the judges at Aldershot heats instead with his rendition of Bill Withers' Ain't No Sunshine. There are 10 locations across the country where the finalists will be whittled down to a select few.

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Triumph for twins in new racing challenge

CANNOCK racing twins Kurt and Matthew Wigley put in yet another impressive performance in a French superbike event.

The 15-year-old brothers pair were two of the youngest competitors to race in the 600cc class in the Superstock event, held in Nogaro in the south of France.

This was the third time they had ridden on new Triumph 675R machines and after travelling 15 hours by road they faced a new challenge together, with a new track for them to learn.

The first practice session saw the twins getting to know the track and gradually reducing their lap times.

By the second qualifying session both Kurt and Matthew had reached a time of one minutes 37 seconds, enabling them to qualify with Kurt in 27th place and Matthew in 30th place on a grid of 39 riders. This was despite Kurt nursing an injury from his first qualifying session and Matthew suffering with a suspension problem.

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The race itself began in hectic fashion with the twins battling through a close field.

Towards the end Kurt found himself having a lonely last few laps as he had broken free from the following pack, but found it hard to catch up with the next group of riders as they were all doing similar times.

That group included Matthew and he was involved in a close field all the way to the last lap and the chequered flag. In the final reckoning Matthew finished 19th and Kurt two places behind, with both registering lap times just 2.8 seconds off the lap record.

Dad Martin said he was proud of the boys' performances.

"We would also like to thank all of our sponsors who made it happen for us," he added.

Logos

"The new logos and livery of our Quattro Group trims look excellent.

"A huge thank you to Chase Accident Repairs for preparing the tank damage from the last round which enabled Kurt and Matthew to race at this meeting."

For more information about the twins log on to their website at www.wigleyracing.com

Charity's new cat pens just purr-fect

Brenda Hearnden and local supporters at the opening of the new cages at the Cats Whiskers Rescue Centre, Johns Lane, Great Wyrley

A CAT rescue centre in Great Wyrley has unveiled £21,000 worth of new pens to mark the charity's10th anniversary.

The Cats Whiskers in John's Lane,was handed a £15,900 cheque from Retailer Pets at Home to go towards the new pens.

Malcolm Haynes, who runs the centre, hosted an open day to show the public the pens and to mark the anniversary.

Brenda Hearnden, aged 69, who founded the charity a decade ago, was the guest of honour for the unveiling. She said: "It's absolutely fantastic.

"They are PVC which means they are easy to clean. They can be steam-cleaned and they have heating. They are really nice and we are very grateful."

The five new pens replace the old and worn-out versions, and each section can hold four or five cats.

Mrs Hearnden added: "Cats don't like to be on their own, and they seem happy with their new pens.

"We just hope some people can come and offer them a home."

Anyone wanting to offer a cat a home can call 01922 415940 to arrange a visit.

Canal site clean-up

NEARLY 20 volunteers helped clean up an overgrown Rugeley canal site strewn with drugs paraphernalia.

A community work party took four hours to remove graffiti from the bridge at the Brindley Bank aqueduct near the 'Bloody Steps' site.

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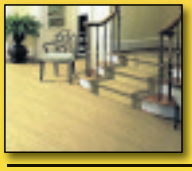

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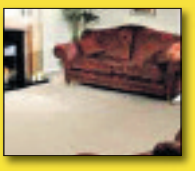

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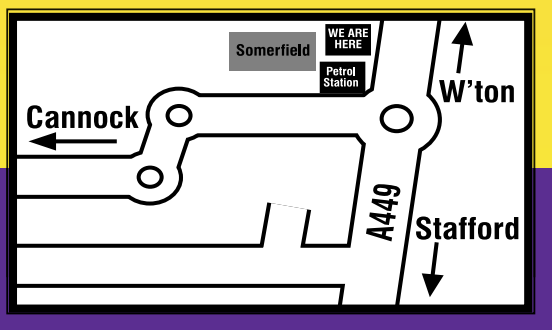

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Cashpot can help get grip on finances

COMMUNITY projects in Cannock are in with a chance of grabbing a slice of up to £30m from the Big Lottery Fund.

The fund's new improving financial confidence programme, launched on Tuesday (May 24), will help some of the town's most vulnerable people get to grip with their finances.

Specifically focusing on social housing residents and projects across England, The Chase is one of 69 authorities reaping the benefits of the initiative. Partnerships in the area, led by voluntary sector organisations, can now apply for lottery grants of £500,000 to £1m for three to five year projects.

The fund will only accept one application from each area which must include at least one major housing association and the local authority while demonstrating the involvement of the people who will benefit from their project.

John Taylor, head of the Big Lottery Fund for the West Midlands, said: "The current period of economic stress has highlighted the divide between those who have access to a range of financial services and those who are excluded.

"The programme aims to help people living in social housing accommodation in Cannock to overcome these issues by giving them skills and confidence to choose, access and use financial services suitable to their individual needs."

A consortium, led by the National Housing Federation, carried out the initial study to establish the need for action and help the Big Lottery Fund develop the programme.

The fund will be accepting applications until September 16.

Organisations interested in applying should visit www.biglotteryfund.org.uk to find out more.

Ellie-Mae Johnson with firefighter Sam Dowding at Stepping Stones Day Nursery in Heath Hayes

Hose that paying a visit to nursery?

YOUNGSTERS at a Heath Hayes nursery enjoyed a visit from local firefighters.

Six members of Green Watch from Cannock Fire Station called in to meet the children at Stepping Stones Day Nursery.

They took along a fire appliance and taught the children all about the dangers of playing with fire and the importance of having smoke alarms fitted.

"The visit is all part of our staying safe campaign," said nursery manager Emma Neenan.

"We are teaching the children about fire and road safety along with stranger danger."

The nursery in Hayes Way is open from 7.30am to 6pm for 50 weeks of the year.

It offers full day care and sessional care. Stepping Stones' facilities include a fully enclosed private garden where children are able to play outside safely.

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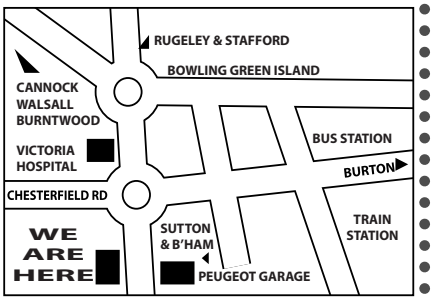

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Patrols monitor loud dog barking

ENVIRONMENTAL health officers at Cannock Chase Council are out on patrol this week to monitor how loud people's dogs bark.

The patrols, which began on Monday (May 23). coincide with Noise Action Week, an annual event coordinated by the charity Environmental Protection UK. Noise Action Week gives communities and organisations the opportunity to get involved in highlighting solutions to noise problems.

Cannock Chase Council is taking part with a focus on barking dogs and officers will hand out information on what to do if a dog is barking too much.

Karen Sulway, environmental health manager, said: "Most dogs tend to bark. However, when it becomes annoying and upsetting to your neighbours, it can amount to a significant problem.

"If you do not resolve the noise problem, then the council will issue you with an abatement notice if, following an investigation, the council considers the noise to constitute a statutory noise nuisance.

"If you fail to comply with this, you could face prosecution. If you are convicted, you could receive a fine of up to £5,000."

For more information or advice about barking dogs, call the council on 01543 462621 or email environmentalhealth @cannockchasedc.gov.uk

District Council pollution control officers Liz Roley and Terri Weston hand out advice to reduce dogs barking with the Cannock Chase Community Hero

Camra award for pub

A PUB near Penkridge has been honoured by the Heart of Staffordshire branch of the Campaign for Real Ale.

Licensee of the Swan at Whiston, James Davies, will be presented with the branch's pub of the year award at the Stafford Beer festival in July.

He will also receive the branch's first cider pub of the year award.

The presentation will take place at the opening session of the festival at Blessed William Howard Catholic High School in Rowley Avenue, Stafford, on July 28. The festival runs until July 30.

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War memorial unveiled after refurbishment

A MEMORIAL to commemorate Polish officers killed in the First World War has been unveiled on Cannock Chase after its restoration.

The Katyn Polish Memorial was built in 1977 and following months of fundraising by Stafford's Polish community and the ex-combatsmen association, has now been refurbished. More than £6,000 was raised as part of the process.

Representatives of the Polish community attended the event while a choir sang national songs and there was also a blessing by a Polish priest.

The memorial was also graced by a guard of honour while the national anthems of Poland and England were sung.

Sherif Hegazy, Asda community officer, attended on behalf of the Asda Foundation which donated £900. He said: "It was a very moving event."

Rock Dogs in concert

LOCAL indie rock covers band The Rock Dogs will be playing live at the new Woodys Music Bar in Uxbridge Street, Hednesford tomorrow night (Friday).

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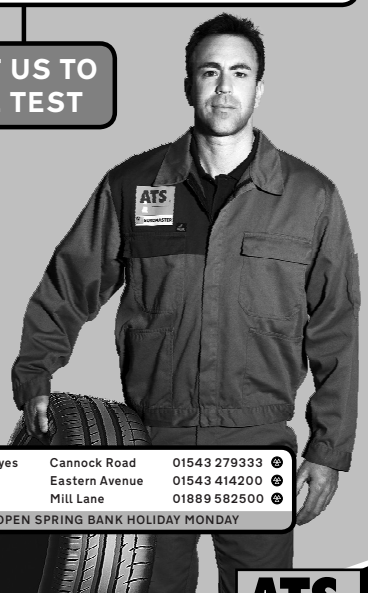

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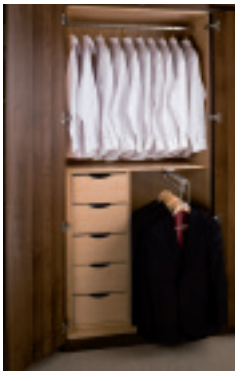

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Asbestos is dumped at scout base

Chairman Rob Massey with asbestos dumped outside the 1st Cheslyn Hay scout and guide group headquarters in Rosemary Road

FLY-TIPPERS dumped potentially dangerous asbestos outside the gates of a scout headquarters.

The sheeting, believed to have come from the roof of a demolished garage, was dumped at the First Cheslyn Hay Scout Group headquarters in Cheslyn Hay but has since been removed by a specialist team from South Staffs District Council.

Scout and guide leader Mick Powell described those responsible as "morons."

He said: "We are concerned it could be a danger to health.

"It was broken and we are worried fibres could be blowing around. Whoever did this are morons."

Leader of 2nd Wyrley Bank Guides Amy Bednall said: "It is disgusting that someone has done this at a place used by children."

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In the fourth quarter, from January 1 to March 31, there was a marked rise in the number of tickets issued, following a decline due to severe weather.

Compared with 2009-10, the number of penalty charge notices issued rose from 5,920 to 6,047 for 2010-11, an increase of 127.Last month a report revealed that Cannock Chase and Lichfield district councils had raked in a combined income of more than £135,000 in the previous 12 months from fixed penalties.

But they paid out £282,000 in costs, leaving a deficit of more than £147,000. Stafford Borough Council managed to end up with a profit of £13,930.

The figures, covering 2009/10, were presented to Staffordshire County Council's regeneration and infrastructure scrutiny committee.

The report stated that in 2009 just three councils, East Staffordshire, Stafford and Newcastle-under-Lyme, recorded a profit on fines.

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Stacey's rise from chip shop to celeb status

The giggling girl from Dagenham talks to **LEON BURAKOWSKI** about her amazing past two years and her proudest achievement

CELEBRITY mum Stacey Solomon says she sees more of her son Zachary now she is a TV presenter than when she did 12-hour shifts at a fish and chips shop.

The girl from Dagenham with the engaging giggly personality and powerful singing voice came third on Simon Cowell's X Factor nearly two years ago and followed that up with I'm A Celebrity Get Me Out Of Here, where she won the public's vote as 'Queen of the Jungle'.

Now she co-presents Saturday night charity comedy show Sing If You Can on ITV. Stacey spoke to *The Chronicle* in Birmingham during a whistle-stop tour to promote her autobiography My Story So Far.

"The last two years have been amazing," said the Essex girl in her familiar breathless manner.

"I've been very lucky and I am so grateful to people."

She confessed that she still feels out-of-place rubbing shoulders with celebs and was often nervous when she met famous people – "I am, like, is this really happening? I feel like that all the time."

Her most nerve-wracking moment came when she trod onto the hallowed Wembley turf to sing God Save The Queen in front of 88,000 football fans at the FA Cup Final.

But asked what her proudest achievement so far had been, there was no hesitation. "My son.

"I get home to see him every night and if I don't it's only because I really, really can't avoid it. I see more of him now than when I worked 9 to 9 at the chip shop."

Stacey, aged 21. won a bingo company's Mum of the Year title this year. She has also started appearing in TV adverts for a famous frozen food company.

So, what's next? " I am finishing the book tour, then I am heading into the studio to make my album.The album is going to be chilled, late lounge, cool and young," she said.

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BLISTS Hill Victorian town in Shropshire will celebrate the birthday of Queen Victoria with pomp and pageantry over the Whitsun Bank Holiday weekend.

A highlight over the weekend of May 28 to 30 will be the daily concert in Her Majesty's honour starting at 2pm including bagpipe players and drummers from the Seaforth Highlanders band in full Scottish costume. There will also be a performance by the Wellington (Telford) Brass Band (Saturday and Sunday only).

There will be mime performances from the Kaleidoscope Theatre Company, while the Prince Albert Players will perform scenes from a variety of plays.

Children can watch a traditional Punch and Judy Show or search for lost toys hidden around the town, with a lolly reward for those who complete the trail.

There will also be a variety of hands-on activities in the Goods Shed where youngsters can have-a-go at games and creative skills from a bygone era.

Vintage bikes will be ridden around the town and visitors to the New Inn can join in a sing-a-long.

As festivities take place to mark the monarch's 81st birthday, the town being locked into 1900, townsfolk will still be going about their daily lives in the houses and shops – baking bread, counting coins at the bank and serving Victorian remedies in the chemist.

A heat of the Shropshire Olympian Festival will be held at Blists Hill on Saturday, May 28, at 2pm. Teams will be dressed in Victorian costume and compete in rustic sports including Tossing the Bale, Catching the Pig, the Eight-legged Race and Jingling. The Eight-legged Race involves four runners strapped to a plank of wood, while Jingling is like Blind Man's Buff in reverse.

Blists Hill is one of the Ironbridge Gorge Museums. Other activities at the museums include:Discover the power of water and how its energy can be harnessed at the Enginuity technology centre during spring half-term week. From Saturday, May 28, to Sunday, June 5, Wicked Water will help unravel the mystery of how water can power machinery. Make your own dragon boats from craft materials and race them on the pool of doom and watch a monster water rocket demonstration.

A passport to all 10 gorge museums valid for twelve months and multiple return visits, costs £22.50 per adult, £18.25 for those 60 plus, £14.75 for students and children and £61.50 for a family of two adults and three children aged up to 18 in full time education; under 5s free. Individual museum entry tickets are available.

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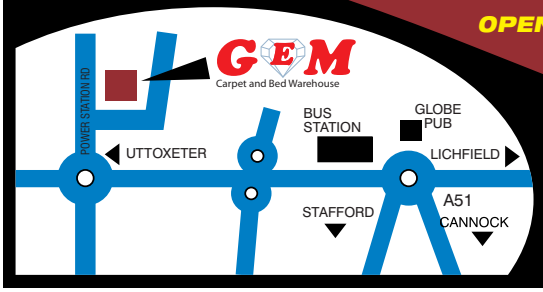

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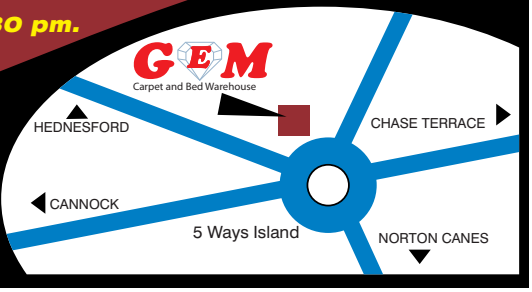

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SUMMER'S HERE WITH BIG NAMES AT THE GARRICK

SUMMER is just around the corner and ahead of the new season the Lichfield Garrick has unveiled its new season programme.

From now until December the theatre hosts famous names such as Billy Ocean, John Sergeant, Jim Davidson, Joe Brown, Derek Martin, Joe Pasquale and Freddie Starr.

Tribute acts including The Bohemians, Rob Kingsley – A Vision of Elvis, and Them Beatles are also lined up, before the theatre holds its festive production of A Christmas Carol throughout December.

Executive and artistic director at the Garrick, Adrian Jackson, said: "I'm delighted to launch our new season, which once again features a huge variety of shows for the whole family.

"We're delighted to welcome back some of our most popular performers, as well as a fabulous line up of artistes who are taking to the Lichfield Garrick stage for the first time."

Shows for youngsters are also on the Garrick menu including Mr Benn and Goldilocks and the Three Bears. Budding performers aged six to 11 years old can sign up to the venue's new Saturday Dee Gee's Club. It started on Saturday (May 21) and provides an opportunity for young people to explore their creativity through singing, dancing and drama. It cost £4 a week and will run every Saturday from 10am to noon.

Mr Jackson added: "Our Christmas production of A Christmas Carol is set to be another spectacular show and we will be announcing the cast soon. With the popular series of free live music and our new Saturday Club for six to 11 year olds running throughout the summer and autumn, the Lichfield Garrick is bursting with energy and well worth a visit.

"With our online booking system people can now choose your own seats, see the view of the stage from their seats and print tickets at home."

Full programmes of events are available to pick at Garrick box office or online at www.lichfieldgarrick.com. Call 01543 412121.

John Sergeant, Joe Pasquale and Jim Davidson are among the big names at the Garrick Theatre over the next few months

Medium Derek Acorah

Venue stages Evening with Derek Acorah

POPULAR spirit medium Derek Acorah returns to the Lichfield Garrick next month.

The star of Paranormal Egypt, Ghost Towns, Most Haunted, Most Haunted Live and Sky Real Lives' Derek Acorah show brings his evening of mystery to the Garrick on June 7 and 8.

An Evening with Derek Acorah is billed as an experimental and investigational show.

There are no guaranteed or certain results and the show is for the purposes of amusement and entertainment.

Tickets cost £20.50 and can be ordered by calling the box office on 01543 412121.

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Welsh comic tops the bill at Bar Sport

BAR SPORT'S latest comedy club event takes place tonight (Thursday 26) with Welsh comic Tudur Owen, who has 10 years' experience of stand up, topping the bill.

Owen has written, presented and appeared in numerous television and radio shows and often does Welsh language performances.

His recent show The PC Leslie Wynne Show picked up the best comedy series award in the Welsh BAFTAs and Owen was also one of the winners of the BBC Three comedy writing competition The Last Laugh in 2005.

Joining him at Bar Sport will be Brummie comedian Andy White.

White escaped from a call centre to become a stand up comic and is said to combine silly voices and a mad afro to devastating comic effect.

He has played to a wide variety of audiences, adults and children, both at home and abroad, in comedy clubs, theatres, universities, radio and TV shows and at corporate entertainment events.

Critics have labelled White as "undeniably entertaining" and said that he "oozes talent".

Resident MC Ryan Gough will be on hand to warm the crowd up and tickets for the show are £5. Call Bar Sport in High Green on 01543 503859to book.

Latest challenge is tackled with aplomb

REVIEW – Here Comes the Bride, Cannock Wood and Gentleshaw Music Society, Prince of Wales Centre, Cannock

CWAGMS like a challenge. In the society's 32 years they have presented shows of many different genre.

Their latest production, set in the 1970s, another 'world premiere', written by member Joanne Woodberry, was a challenge that was tackled with the group's usual enthusiasm and aplomb.

Above all they always appear to be enjoying what they are doing and broadly speaking, this was true of their performance last Thursday (May 19).

Act Two was confidently performed. It had pace and all the usual ingredients required for what is basically a farce set to music.

However, Act One did not quite live up to the potential of a situation where the 'hens' and 'stags' discover they are all celebrating at the same venue.

Nevertheless, things received a lift with the arrival of both sets of parents — at the same party.

Director Sharron Burns, did a great job in putting 26 principal characters on stage and can be forgiven if a few of these bore a strong resemblance to certain sit-com icons. Crook Big Bob and his moll Melanie, played by Darrell Burns and Alison Gough, were unashamed take-offs of Fools and Horses stalwarts, Boycie and Marlene – but were equally as funny.

Both Emma Ward and Roger Rowlands pitched their characters just right as the good-humoured happy couple Kate and Brian, while harassed best man, Sam Herring grew into the part as the plot developed. His timing improved as he gained in confidence. He spent most his time warding off the advances of female guests ranging from bridesmaids to a predatory, octogenarian grandmother, wackily played by Freda Franklin.

Particularly impressive among the othe well-crafted characters was man-hunter Glenda, lustily played by Jo Sedgley and her hapless stage daughter Tracy, who, with the removal of a couple of hair-grips, was transformed into beauty to capture the much desired best man.

Carefully chosen popular hits from the era were woven into the storyline resulting in a number of pleasing chorus numbers. The large company and a fine sounding nine-piece band combined well under the direction of conductor Brian Hirst.

The dialogue in the main was well-penned and storyline was interesting but the author might consider the possibility of reducing Act Two to five scenes. This is possible without detriment to the story and it could make a stronger ending.

But judging by the amount of cheers and applause at the final curtain, the capacity audience agree that this was another success for CWAGMS.

BRYAN TILL

Get into the swing of things

A MEDLEY of music from some of the world's great swing bands is sure to delight crowds at the Lichfield Garrick.

The New Squadronaires Orchestra pays tribute to Glenn Miller, Artie Shaw and Tommy Dorsey, as well as some of the original Squadronaires music which hasn't been played since 1964.

All their musicians dress in RAF uniform and the stage is enhanced with the backdrop of a RAF ensign.

Present day bandleader is Mark Porter and their performance is presented in association with the National Memorial Arboretum, as part of their 10th anniversary celebrations.

Tickets for the New Squadronaires Orchestra on Sunday June 5 are £19.50. Visit **www.lichfieldgarrick.com** or call 01543 412121.

Acclaimed trio Whalebone who are at Cheslyn Hay village hall on June 11

Tall tales and folk music

CRITICALLY acclaimed folk trio Whalebone bring their 2011 tour to Cheslyn Hay village hall next month.

Whalebone's Three Fires tour features high energy acoustic music alongside haunting atmospheric tunes. The show includes inventive interpretations of traditional music, rock classics and original material from their award winning Three Fires album, along with tall tales, folklore and the myths which inspired the music.

"We're excited to be playing at this lovely hall," said frontman Steve Downs. "We've had some great concerts in Staffordshire over the past 18 months and this is shaping up to be a great night."

The concert is on Saturday June 11 at the Pinfold Lane hall.

Tickets are £7.50, available from the hall on 01922 410483.

For more information see **www.whalebone-music.com** or follow Whalebone on Facebook or Twitter.

Show depicts opera star's unique talent

A STORY based exclusively on interviews given by the legendary opera singer Maria Callas comes to Lichfield next month.

Starring Anna Korwin, Callas depicts the unique prowess and acting genius of the woman dubbed La Divina.

Born in New York of Greek parentage, Callas first established herself as an exceptional singer in Italy and went on to win worldwide acclaim.

Richard Digby-Day directs the show, which has been put together by Jean-Yves Picq

Callas will be at the Garrick on Saturday June 4 at 7.30pm. Tickets cost from £10 and can be booked from www.lichfieldgarrick.com or by calling the box office on 01543 412121.

Rock concert

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BBC1

6.00 Breakfast. **10.00** Saturday Kitchen Live. **11.30** Great British Menu. (R) **12.00** BBC News; Regional News; Weather. **12.10** Formula 1: The Monaco Grand Prix – Qualifying. The battle for pole ahead of the sixth round of the season (Start-time 1.00pm). **2.30** Golf: The PGA Championship. **4.50** Don't Scare the Hare. **5.25** BBC News; Regional News; Weather. **5.45** So You Think You Can Dance Live.

6.45 Doctor Who. Part two of two. A doppelganger seeks revenge against her makers.
7.30 So You Think You Can Dance. The dancers with the lowest votes perform again.
8.00 The National Lottery: Who Dares Wins. Pop group Hanson are guests on the game show in which two pairs of strangers team up, each battling to outdo the other by listing as much as they know about a given subject.
8.50 Casualty. Tess resorts to drastic measures to avoid losing another patient, but when she is forced to accept the blame for Daniel's death, she makes a stand against hospital bureaucracy.
9.40 John Bishop's Britain. Comedy, with guest Natalie Cassidy. (R)
10.10 BBC News; Weather.
10.25 FILM: Face/Off. (1997) Action thriller, starring John Travolta.

12.35 Film: Steal. (2002) Crime thriller, starring Stephen Dorff; Weatherview. **2.00** BBC News.

BBC2

6.00 CBeebies. **7.00** CBBC. **12.00** Film: Bell, Book and Candle. (1958) Supernatural romantic comedy, with James Stewart and Kim Novak. **1.40** Film: The Cheyenne Social Club. (1970) Comedy Western, starring James Stewart. **3.20** Two Greedy Italians. (R) **4.20** Escape to the Country. (R) **4.50** Golf: The PGA Championship. Further live coverage of the third day's play at Wentworth in Surrey.

6.00 Flog It! From St Austell, Cornwall. (R)
7.00 Dad's Army. American troops arrive in Walmington-on-Sea. (R)
7.30 RHS Chelsea Flower Show 2011. The winner of the People's Award for best show garden is revealed.
8.00 Terry and June. The couple erect a tent in their garden. (R)
8.30 The Many Faces of June Whitfield. The comedy actress tells the story of her career. (R)
9.30 Absolutely Fabulous. Edina goes on a diet. (R)
10.00 Have I Got a Bit More News for You. Bill Bailey hosts, with guests Armando Iannucci and Jack Whitehall. (R)
10.45 QI XL. With Sandi Toksvig, Bill Bailey, Sean Lock and John Hodgman. (R)
11.30 Grumpy Old Holidays. Irreverent perspectives on camping holidays. (R)

12.00 French Open Tennis. **1.00** Later with Jools Holland. (R) **2.05** Film: Under the Mud. (2006) Comedy, starring Andrew Schofield, Lenny Wood and Lisa Parry. **3.30** Close.

ITV1

6.00 CITV: Mini CITV. **7.25** CITV. **8.25** House Gift. (R) **9.25** Coronation Street. **11.45** This Morning: Saturday. **12.45** ITV News; Weather. **12.55** You've Been Framed! (R) **1.25** Film: Carry On Cowboy. (1966) Comedy Western, starring Sid James. **3.10** Film: For Your Eyes Only. (1981) James Bond spy thriller, starring Roger Moore. **5.30** Regional Programmes. **5.45** ITV News; Weather.

6.00 New Animals Do the Funniest Things. Comical clips and quirky stories from the animal kingdom, including a pigeon in need of sat-nav and dogs that have learned to read. Stephen Mulhern presents.
7.00 Live UEFA Champions League Final. Barcelona v Manchester United (Kick-off 7.45pm). Coverage of the showpiece match at Wembley Stadium, where the biggest prize in European club football is at stake. Subsequent programmes subject to change.
10.25 ITV News; Weather.
10.40 UEFA Champions League Highlights. Barcelona v Manchester United. Action from the final at Wembley Stadium.
11.40 Premiership Rugby Union. Leicester Tigers v Saracens.

12.40 The Zone. Shopping and interactive gaming; ITV News Headlines. **2.45** In Plain Sight. (R) **3.30** ITV Nightscreen. Text-based information service. **5.30** ITV Morning News.

Channel 4

6.10 The Hoobs. (R) **6.35** The Film Show. (R) **7.00** British GT Championship. **7.25** The Grid. **7.55** The Morning Line. **8.55** T4: Friends. (R) **9.25** T4: Koko Pop. **10.00** T4: The Hangover Part II: T4 Movie Special. **10.30** T4: Glee. **11.30** T4: Friends. (R) **12.00** Paralympic World Cup. The fifth and final day from Manchester. Last in the series. **2.00** Channel 4 Racing. **3.55** Come Dine with Me Extra Portions. (R) **4.25** Come Dine with Me Extra Portions. (R) **5.00** Come Dine with Me Extra Portions. (R) **5.30** Come Dine with Me Extra Portions. (R)

6.00 Channel 4 News.
6.20 4thought.tv. A 28-year-old woman discusses the Catholic Church's official policy of celibacy for priests.
6.25 FILM: Titanic. (1997) A society girl falls in love with a penniless artist during the liner's ill-fated voyage. James Cameron's Oscar-winning romantic drama, starring Kate Winslet and Leonardo DiCaprio.
10.00 The Million Pound Drop Live. Quiz show, presented by Davina McCall. Last in the series.
11.20 Dylan Moran: Aim Low. Compilation of the comedian's best moments.

12.25 Film: In America. (2003) Drama, starring Samantha Morton. **2.10** Mother of Many. (R) **2.15** Slow Joe. (R) **2.25** A Family Portrait. (R) **2.30** The Tannery. (R) **2.35** Paraphernalia. (R) **2.50** The Dead Zone. (R) **3.35** Hill Street Blues. (R) **4.30** Wild Thing I Love You. (R) **5.25** Countdown. (R)

Channel 5

6.00 Milkshake! **10.00** Chinese Food in Minutes. (R) **10.05** The Gadget Show. (R) **11.05** Extreme Fishing with Robson Green – At the Ends of the Earth. (R) **12.05** The Hotel Inspector. (R) **1.05** Film: The Staircase Murders. (2007) Thriller, starring Treat Williams. **2.50** Film: Last of the Dogmen. (1995) Modern-day western, starring Tom Berenger. **5.05** Film: Two Mules for Sister Sara. (1970) Western, starring Clint Eastwood.

7.00 Cricket. England v Sri Lanka.
7.55 5 News Weekend.
8.00 NCIS. A six-year-old boy claims his father has been kidnapped, and the agents learn the missing man is a lieutenant commander who has been working on a confidential report. (R)
9.00 CSI: Miami. The CSIs uncover a plot to distribute a new type of ammunition designed to explode on impact, and the ensuing investigation brings Horatio into contact with old adversary Ron Saris. (R)
10.00 CSI: NY. The crime lab is attacked.
11.00 CSI: Crime Scene Investigation. A patient is murdered at a psychiatric hospital. (R)
11.55 Rough Guide to Short Breaks. (R)

12.10 SCXTRA. **12.40** SuperCasino. **3.55** Rough Guide to Islands. (R) **4.10** Great Scientists. (R) **4.35** HouseBusters. (R) **5.00** Hana's Helpline. (R) **5.10** The Milkshake! Show. (R) **5.35** Thomas & Friends. (R) **5.45** Roary the Racing Car. (R)

Digital

ITV2
3.05 Britain's Got More Talent **4.05** American Idol **7.00** Film: Nanny McPhee (2005) **9.00** Film: Step Up 2: The Streets (2008) **11.00** Celebrity Juice **11.45** Film: The Astronaut's Wife (1999)

ITV3
3.00 Agatha Christie's Marple **5.00** Agatha Christie's Sparkling Cyanide **7.00** Agatha Christie's Marple **9.00** Viewers' Favourite Agatha Christie **11.05** David Suchet: Poirot & Me **11.10** Agatha Christie's Poirot

ITV4
3.00 Live Indian Premier League Cricket. The final. **7.30** Police, Camera, Action! **8.00** Film: Jaws: The Revenge (1987) **9.50** Film: The Deer Hunter (1978)

BBC THREE
7.00 Pop's Greatest Dance Crazes **7.30** Doctor Who Confidential **8.15** Top Gear **9.15** Live at the Apollo **9.45** Film: Kill Bill: Vol One (2003) **11.30** Family Guy

BBC FOUR
7.00 The Secret Life of Elephants **8.00** Latin Music USA **9.00** Wallander **10.30** Julia Bradbury's Canal Walks **11.00** The Golden Age of Canals

E4
3.55 Made in Chelsea **5.00** Friends **6.00** Glee **7.00** The Big Bang Theory **8.00** How I Met Your Mother **9.00** Friends **10.00** Film: Cocktail (1988)

FILM4
3.05 Cheaper By the Dozen (2003) Family comedy remake, starring Steve Martin. **4.55** Sister Act (1992) Musical comedy, starring Whoopi Goldberg. **6.55** Attack the Block Special **7.00** Fantastic Four (2005) Sci-fi comic-book adventure, starring Ioan Gruffudd. **9.00** Run Fat Boy Run (2007) Romantic comedy, with Simon Pegg and Thandie Newton. **10.55** From Dusk Till Dawn (1996) Horror, starring George Clooney.

Sunday TV

Choice

ANTIQUES ROADSHOW
(BBC1, 8pm).

Funny, isn't it, how something as potentially dull as the Antiques Roadshow, has become a national institution? There they are, the antiques experts stuffed into the corners of dusty public buildings like the long-forgotten relics they're about to examine, ready to give their valuable opinions on everything from granny's cracked old teapot to some priceless treasure the owner nearly sold to a tout for a tenner. This week, Fiona Bruce and the experts back to Hampton Court Castle in Herefordshire, where items up for valuation include a silver dish given to former prime minister Neville Chamberlain.

BBC1

6.00 Breakfast. **9.00** The Andrew Marr Show. **10.00** The Big Questions. **11.00** Country Tracks; Weather for the Week Ahead. **12.00** BBC News. **12.05** Formula 1: The Monaco Grand Prix Live. The sixth round of the season (start-time 1.00pm). **3.20** EastEnders. **5.15** Points of View. **5.30** Songs of Praise.

6.05 RHS Chelsea Flower Show 2011. Highlights from this year's festival. Last in the series.
6.35 BBC News; Regional News; Weather.
7.00 Countryfile. Julia Bradbury walks the Offa's Dyke National Trail to mark its 40th anniversary, and Chris Packham launches the programme's annual photographic competition. Including Weather for the Week Ahead.
8.00 Antiques Roadshow. The team values more items at Hampton Court Castle in Herefordshire.
9.00 FILM: Pirates of the Caribbean: Dead Man's Chest. (2006) Captain Jack Sparrow battles to save his soul from the legendary Davy Jones and his fearsome sea monster. Swashbuckling adventure sequel, starring Johnny Depp.
11.20 BBC News; Regional News; Weather.
11.45 The Football League Show. Highlights of the League One play-off final at Old Trafford; Weatherview.

12.40 Sign Zone: The Apprentice. (R) **1.40** Holby City. (R) **2.40** A History of Ancient Britain. (R) **3.40** BBC News.

BBC2

6.00 CBeebies. **7.00** CBBC. **10.00** Something for the Weekend. **11.30** Escape to the Country. (R) **12.30** Film: The Long Ships. (1963) Viking adventure, starring Richard Widmark and Sidney Poitier. **2.30** Golf: The PGA Championship. The fourth and final day's play at Wentworth in Surrey.

6.10 Richard Hammond's Engineering Connections. How engineers made a bridge across the Gulf of Corinth earthquake-proof.
7.00 Top Gear. The hosts bid to prove that cars can be art. (R)
8.00 Britain's Secret Seas. Paul Rose, Tooni Mahto and Frank Pope join the excavation of a 17th-century ship that has been found in the waters outside Poole Harbour, Dorset. Last in the series.
9.00 Louis Theroux: Miami Mega Jail. Part two of two. The reporter follows a group of younger inmates who have avoided prison by agreeing to endure the brutal training at a four-month military-style boot camp.
10.00 Queen: Days of Our Lives. Part one of two. The story of the extravagant British rock band.
11.00 The Shadow Line. Jay puts Bede's new business deal in jeopardy. (R)

12.00 French Open Tennis. The fourth round in both the men's and women's draws. **1.00** BBC News. **4.10** Close.

ITV1

6.00 CITV: Mini CITV. **7.25** CITV. **8.25** May the Best House Win. **9.25** Dickinson's Real Deal. (R) **10.25** 60 Minute Makeover. (R) **11.30** This Morning: Sunday. **12.30** Di…nner Date. (R) **1.30** ITV News; Weather. **1.40** Film: Honey. (2003) Urban dance drama, starring Jessica Alba. **3.30** New Animals Do the Funniest Things. (R) **4.30** Midsomer Murders. (R)

6.30 Regional Programmes.
6.45 ITV News; Weather.
7.00 Coronation Street. Fiz discovers John with Colin Fishwick's body.
7.30 Britain's Got Talent. Ant and Dec host the final round of auditions in front of judges Michael McIntyre, Amanda Holden and David Hasselhoff, before the 40 acts selected for the live shows are announced.
9.00 Scott & Bailey. New series. Crime drama following two detectives working for a Manchester police unit that specialises in murder cases.
10.00 ITV News at Ten; Weather.
10.15 The Classic Brit Awards 2011. Myleene Klass presents from London's Royal Albert Hall.
11.45 The Day John Lennon Died. Documentary first shown in 2010 to mark 30 years since the former Beatle's death. (R)

12.40 The Zone; ITV News Headlines. **2.00** Motorsport UK. **2.55** ITV Nightscreen. **5.30** ITV Morning News.

Channel 4

6.10 The Hoobs. (R) **6.35** The Hoobs. (R) **7.05** That Paralympic Show. (R) **7.30** Freesports on 4. **8.00** T4: Friends. (R) **8.30** T4: Friends. (R) **9.00** T4: Hollyoaks. **11.30** T4: Being N-Dubz: The A-Z Guide. **12.05** T4: Glee. (R) **1.05** T4: The Simpsons. (R) **1.40** T4: The Simpsons. (R) **2.10** Jamie's 30 Minute Meals. (R) **2.40** Jamie's 30 Minute Meals. (R) **3.15** Jamie's 30 Minute Meals. (R) **3.45** Deal or No Deal. **4.45** Channel 4 News. **4.55** 4thought.tv. **5.00** Film: Home Alone. (1990) Family comedy, with Macaulay Culkin.

7.00 Come Dine with Me. A Swedish table-tennis enthusiast competes against a politics student, a personal development coach and a DJ as the dinner party challenge heads to Leeds.
8.00 The Hotel. A husband and wife who have recently been through a trial separation check in at the Damson Dene, hoping to get their marriage back on track.
9.00 FILM: The Curious Case of Benjamin Button. (2008) Premiere. A baby is born with the physique of a geriatric, and as he moves through life, grows younger with each passing year. Fantasy drama, starring Brad Pitt.

12.10 Film: Equilibrium. (2002) Sci-fi adventure, starring Christian Bale. **2.05** Diagnosis Live from the Clinic. (R) **3.00** The Sex Education Show: Am I Normal? (R) **3.55** Civilization: Is the West History? (R) **4.50** Wogan's Perfect Recall. (R) **5.15** Countdown. (R)

Channel 5

6.00 Milkshake!: Peppa Pig. **6.05** Roary the Racing Car. (R) **6.15** Fifi and the Flowertots. (R) **6.25** Fireman Sam. (R) **6.35** Miss Spider's Sunny Patch Friends. (R) **6.50** Elmo's World. (R) **7.05** Chiro. (R) **7.15** Harry and His Bucket Full of Dinosaurs. (R) **7.25** Noddy in Toyland. (R) **7.40** Hana's Helpline. (R) **7.50** Roobarb and Custard Too; (R) Milkshake! Show Songs. **8.00** Little Princess. (R) **8.15** The Adventures of Bottle Top Bill and His Best Friend Corky. (R) **8.30** Mist: Sheepdog Tales. (R) **8.45** Rupert Bear. (R) **9.00** Olivia. (R) **9.15** The Mr Men Show. (R) **9.30** Gerald McBoing Boing. (R) **10.00** Animal Rescue Squad. (R) **10.20** McFly on the Wall. **10.50** Family Food Fight. (R) **11.20** Eddie Stobart: Trucks and Trailers. (R) **12.20** Film: Three to Tango. (1999) Romantic comedy, starring Matthew Perry and Neve Campbell. **2.10** Film: Contact. (1997) Sci-fi drama, starring Jodie Foster. **4.55** Film: Mission to Mars. (2000) Sci-fi adventure, starring Gary Sinise.

6.55 5 News Weekend.
7.00 Cricket.
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8.00 Pirates of the Caribbean: The True Story. (R)
9.00 Most Shocking Talent Show Moments. A countdown of memorable incidents and controversial contestants. (R)
11.55 Russell and Katy Get Married. (R)

12.55 SuperCasino. **3.55** Rough Guide To. (R) **4.10** Divine Designs. (R) **5.00** Hana's Helpline. (R) **5.10** The Milkshake! Show. (R) **5.35** Thomas & Friends. (R) **5.45** Roary the Racing Car. (R)

Digital

ITV2
4.30 Planet's Funniest Animals **4.55** Holiday Airport: Lanzarote **5.55** Film: Step Up 2: The Streets (2008) **8.00** Lose 30 Stone or Die **9.00** Britain's Got More Talent **10.00** Peter Andre: The Next Chapter **11.00** Britain's Got Talent

ITV3
3.50 Film: Agatha Christie's Murder with Mirrors (1985) **5.45** David Suchet: Poirot & Me **5.50** Agatha Christie's Poirot **10.00** Agatha Christie's Pale Horse

ITV4
2.30 Football 40: London Legends Cup Live. The inaugural staging of the tournament from Craven Cottage. **6.15** 20 Football Transfers That Shocked the World **7.15** World's Wildest Police Videos **8.00** Premiership Rugby Union **9.00** Film: The Missouri Breaks (1976) **11.35** Film: Boogie Nights (1997)

BBC THREE
7.00 Formula 1: The Monaco Grand Prix Highlights **8.00** Doctor Who **8.45** Doctor Who Confidential **9.00** Little Britain **9.30** Ideal **10.00** Family Guy

BBC FOUR
7.00 Chopin Etudes **7.05** A History of Christianity **8.05** Thora **8.30** Last of the Summer Wine **9.00** Welly Telly – The Countryside on Television **10.00** Dorset Days – A Year in the Life of Longhorn Jim **11.00** The Joy of Easy Listening

E4
3.50 Film: Entrapment (1999) **6.00** Friends **7.00** 90210 **8.00** Friends **9.00** Desperate Housewives **11.00** Being Erica **11.55** The Big Bang Theory

FILM4
3.00 Carousel (1956) **5.35** Inspector Gadget (1999) **7.10** The Wedding Date (2005) Romantic comedy, with Debra Messing. **8.50** X-Men: First Class Special **9.00** X-Men (2000) **11.00** The Square (2008)

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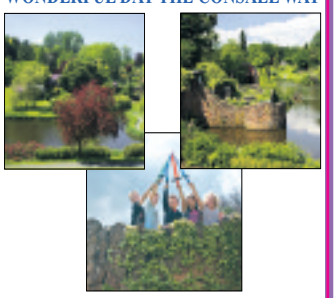

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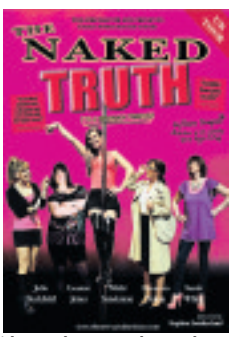

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Monday

BBC1 6.00 Breakfast. 9.00 Fake Britain. 9.45 Homes Under the Hammer. 10.45 Real Rescues. 11.30 Cash in the Attic. (R) 12.00 Bargain Hunt. (R) 12.45 BBC News; Weather. 1.05 Regional News; Weather. 1.15 Escape to the Country. (R) 2.15 Film: The Cat in the Hat. (2003) 3.30 Wallace & Gromit: A Close Shave. (R) 4.00 Pixar: 25 Magic Moments. 5.00 Film: WALL.E. (2008) 6.30 BBC News. 6.45 Regional News Programmes; Weather. 7.00 The One Show. 7.30 Saints and Scroungers. (R) 8.00 EastEnders. 8.30 Egypt's Lost Cities. 10.00 BBC News. 10.05 Regional News; Weather. 10.15 A Question of Sport. 10.45 The Football League Show. 11.25 The Graham Norton Show; (R) Weatherview. 12.15 Sign Zone: Wonders of the Universe. (R) 1.15 Inside the Human Body. (R) 2.15 The Secrets of Scott's Hut. (R) 3.45 One Man and His Campervan. (R) 4.15 BBC News.

BBC2 6.00 CBeebies. 7.00 CBBC. 8.30 CBeebies. 11.35 Film: The 39 Steps. (1935) Alfred Hitchcock's thriller, starring Robert Donat. 1.00 Rowing. 2.30 Animal 24:7. (R) 3.00 Rewind the 60s. (R) 3.45 Flog It! 4.30 The Hairy Bikers' Food Tour of Britain. (R) 5.15 Cash in the Celebrity Attic. (R) 6.00 Great British Menu. 7.00 The Story of Ireland. 8.00 Springwatch 2011. 9.00 All Watched Over by Machines of Loving Grace. 10.00 Queen: Days of Our Lives. 11.00 Queen: The Legendary 1975 Concert. (R) 11.50 Richard Hammond's Engineering Connections. (R) 12.40 French Open Tennis. 1.40 BBC News. 3.40 The Super League Show. (R) 4.15 Close.

ITV1 6.00 Daybreak. 8.30 Lorraine. 9.25 Dinner Date. (R) 10.25 This Morning. 11.30 Loose Women. 12.30 Midsomer Murders. (R) 1.30 ITV News; Weather. 1.40 Regional News; Weather. 1.50 You've Been Framed! (R) 2.20 Film: On Her Majesty's Secret Service. (1969) James Bond adventure, with George Lazenby. 5.00 Celebrity Britain's Best Dish: Coronation Street v Emmerdale. 6.00 Regional News; Weather. 6.15 ITV News; Weather. 6.30 Harry Hill's TV Burp. (R) 7.00 Emmerdale. 7.30 Britain's Got Talent. 9.00 Coronation Street. 9.30 Britain's Got Talent Results. 10.00 ITV News at Ten; Weather. 10.15 Film: Miss Congeniality 2: Armed and Fabulous. (2005) 12.20 The Zone; ITV News Headlines. 2.20 UEFA Champions League Weekly. 2.50 ITV Nightscreen. 4.35 The Jeremy Kyle Show. (R) 5.30 ITV Morning News.

Channel 4 6.00 Sali Mali. (R) 6.05 The Hoobs. (R) 6.30 The Hoobs. (R) 6.55 Freshly Squeezed. 7.25 Everybody Loves Raymond. (R) 7.50 Frasier. (R) 8.20 Frasier. (R) 8.50 Friends. (R) 9.20 Accidentally on Purpose. 9.50 Location, Location, Location. (R) 10.50 A Place in the Sun: Home or Away. (R) 11.55 Jamie at Home. (R) 12.20 Film: Clash of the Titans. (1981) Mythical adventure, starring Harry Hamlin. 2.35 Baking Mad with Eric Lanlard. 3.10 Countdown. 4.00 Deal or No Deal. 5.00 Four in a Bed. 5.30 Come Dine with Me. 6.00 The Simpsons. (R) 6.30 Hollyoaks. 7.00 Channel 4 News. 7.05 4thought.tv. 7.10 Film: The Italian Job. (1969) 9.00 Gordon's Great Escape. 10.00 Film: Dodgeball: A True Underdog Story. (2004) Sporting comedy, starring Ben Stiller. 11.55 The Event. 12.50 Poker. 1.45 24 Hours in A&E. (R) 2.40 The Sex Education Show: Am I Normal? (R) 3.35 Life, Death and Suffer Story. (R) 3.40 The Dead Zone. (R) 4.25 Hill Street Blues. (R) 5.15 Wogan's Perfect Recall. (R) 5.40 Sali Mali. (R) 5.45 Yo Gabba Gabba! (R)

Channel 5 6.00 Milkshake! 9.15 The Wright Stuff. 11.05 How Do They Do It? (R) 11.30 CSI: Crime Scene Investigation. (R) 12.25 5 News Lunchtime. 12.35 Home and Away. 1.05 Neighbours. 1.35 Film: Coroner Creek. (1948) Western, starring Randolph Scott. 3.25 Film: Fort Worth. (1951) Western drama, starring Randolph Scott. 5.00 5 News at 5; Weather. 5.30 Neighbours. (R) 6.00 Home and Away. (R) 6.30 Monkey Life. (R) 6.55 5 News at 7. 7.00 Cricket; 5 News Update. 8.00 The Gadget Show; 5 News at 9. 9.00 The Hotel Inspector. 10.00 Film: A Few Good Men. (1992) 12.50 Forensic Files. (R) 1.15 SuperCasino. 4.00 The Family Recipe. (R) 4.05 Michaela's Wild Challenge. (R) 4.55 Rough Guide to Journeys. (R) 5.10 Wildlife SOS. (R) 5.35 House Doctor. (R)

Tuesday

BBC1 6.00 Breakfast. 9.15 Fake Britain. 10.00 Homes Under the Hammer; BBC News; Weather. 11.00 Real Rescues. 11.45 Cash in the Attic; (R) BBC News; Weather. 12.15 Bargain Hunt. 1.00 BBC News; Weather. 1.30 Regional News; Weather. 1.45 Doctors. 2.15 Escape to the Country. (R) 3.00 BBC News; Weather; Regional News. 3.05 CBBC. 5.15 Weakest Link. 6.00 BBC News; Weather. 6.30 Regional News Programmes; Weather. 7.00 The One Show. 7.30 EastEnders; BBC News; Regional News. 8.00 Holby City. 9.00 Undercover Care – The Abuse Exposed: Panorama. 10.00 BBC News. 10.25 Regional News; Weather.; National Lottery Update. 10.35 Crimewatch on the Streets. 11.35 The Lock Up; Weatherview. 12.10 Sign Zone: Children's Craniofacial Surgery. (R) 1.10 Wootton Bassett: The Town That Remembers. (R) 2.10 Who Do You Think You Are? (R) 2.55 Great British Railway Journeys. (R) 3.25 BBC News.

BBC2 6.00 CBeebies. 7.00 CBBC. 8.30 CBeebies. 11.35 Film: Gunga Din. (1939) Action adventure, starring Cary Grant. 1.30 To Buy or Not to Buy. (R) 2.15 Animal 24:7. (R) 3.00 Rewind the 60s. (R) 3.45 Flog It! 4.30 The Hairy Bikers' Food Tour of Britain. (R) 5.15 Cash in the Celebrity Attic. (R) 6.00 Great British Menu. 7.00 Britain's Secret Seas. (R) 8.00 Springwatch 2011. 9.00 The Country House Revealed. 10.00 Lead Balloon. 10.30 Newsnight; Weather. 11.20 Time to Remember. (R) 11.50 French Open Tennis. 12.50 BBC News. 3.25 Close.

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Channel 4 6.10 The Hoobs. (R) 6.35 The Hoobs. (R) 7.00 Freshly Squeezed. 7.30 Everybody Loves Raymond. (R) 7.55 Frasier. (R) 8.25 Frasier. (R) 8.55 Friends. (R) 9.30 Accidentally on Purpose. 9.55 Location, Location, Location. (R) 10.55 A Place in the Sun: Home or Away. (R) 12.00 Channel 4 News Summary. 12.05 In Your Dreams. (R) 12.15 The Home Show. (R) 1.20 Film: Appointment in London. (1952) Second World War drama, starring Dirk Bogarde. 3.10 Countdown. 4.00 Deal or No Deal. 5.00 Four in a Bed. 5.30 Come Dine with Me. 6.00 The Simpsons. (R) 6.30 Hollyoaks. 7.00 Channel 4 News. 7.55 4thought.tv. 8.00 Four Rooms. 9.00 The Secret Millionaire. 10.00 Jamie's Food Revolution Hits Hollywood. 11.05 Misfits. 12.10 UK & Ireland Poker Tour. 1.10 Freesports on 4. (R) 1.35 The Grid. (R) 2.05 British GT Championship. (R) 2.30 KOTV Boxing Weekly. 2.55 FIVB Beach Volleyball. (R) 3.50 Catching the Impossible. (R) 4.45 Triathlon. (R) 5.15 Full Metal Challenge. (R)

Channel 5 6.00 Milkshake! 9.15 The Wright Stuff. 11.05 Highland Emergency. (R) 12.00 Meals in Moments. (R) 12.10 5 News Lunchtime. 12.20 Law & Order. (R) 1.15 Home and Away. 1.45 Neighbours. 2.15 The Vanessa Show. 3.05 Meals in Moments. (R) 3.15 Film: Sub Zero. (2005) Premiere. Action adventure, starring Costas Mandylor. 5.00 5 News at 5; Weather. 5.30 Neighbours. (R) 6.00 Home and Away. (R) 6.25 OK! TV. 7.00 5 News at 7. 7.30 Zoo Days. 8.00 Supersize Grime; 5 News at 9. 9.00 CSI: Crime Scene Investigation. Ray's ex-wife Gloria is kidnapped by serial killer Nate Haskell. 10.00 CSI: Miami. A suburban mother is murdered. (R) 10.55 CSI: NY. (R) 11.55 CSI: NY. (R) 12.50 SuperCasino. 4.00 The Family Recipe. (R) 4.05 Michaela's Wild Challenge. (R) 4.55 Rough Guide to Bang for Your Buck. (R) 5.10 Wildlife SOS. (R) 5.35 House Doctor. (R)

Wednesday

BBC1 6.00 Breakfast. 9.15 Fake Britain. 10.00 Homes Under the Hammer; BBC News; Weather. 11.00 Real Rescues. 11.45 Cash in the Attic; (R) BBC News; Weather. 12.15 Bargain Hunt. 1.00 BBC News; Weather. 1.30 Regional News; Weather. 1.45 Doctors. 2.15 Escape to the Country. (R) 3.00 BBC News; Weather; Regional News. 3.05 CBBC. 5.15 Weakest Link. 6.00 BBC News; Weather. 6.30 Regional News Programmes; Weather. 7.00 The One Show. 7.30 Waterloo Road; BBC News; Regional News. 8.30 Life of Riley. 9.00 The Apprentice. 10.00 BBC News. 10.25 Regional News. 10.35 The National Lottery Wednesday Night Draws. 10.45 Not Going Out. (R) 11.15 Film: Forces of Nature. (1999) ; National Lottery Update; Weatherview. 1.00 Sign Zone: See Hear. (R) 1.30 Watchdog. (R) 2.30 Country Tracks. (R) 3.25 The British at Work. (R) 4.25 BBC News.

BBC2 6.00 CBeebies. 7.00 CBBC. 8.30 CBeebies. 11.35 Film: Berlin Express. (1948) Thriller, starring Merle Oberon. 1.00 See Hear. 1.30 To Buy or Not to Buy. (R) 2.15 Animal 24:7. (R) 3.00 Rewind the 60s. (R) 3.45 Flog It! 4.30 The Hairy Bikers' Food Tour of Britain. (R) 5.15 Cash in the Celebrity Attic. (R) 6.00 Great British Menu. 7.00 Escape to the Country. (R) 7.30 Springwatch 2011. 8.30 Springwatch Unsprung 2011. 9.00 Wonderland — The Men Who Won't Stop Marching. 10.00 The Apprentice: You're Fired! 10.30 Newsnight; Weather. 11.20 Stewart Lee's Comedy Vehicle. 11.50 Louis Theroux: Miami Mega Jail. (R) 12.50 French Open Tennis. 1.50 BBC News. 4.25 Close.

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BBC2 6.00 CBeebies. 7.00 CBBC. 8.30 CBeebies. 11.35 Film: Escape to Burma. (1955) Romantic jungle adventure, with Barbara Stanwyck. 1.00 Diagnosis Murder. (R) 1.45 To Buy or Not to Buy. (R) 2.15 Rewind the 60s. (R) 3.00 Rewind the 60s. (R) 3.45 Flog It! 4.30 The Hairy Bikers' Food Tour of Britain. (R) 5.15 Cash in the Celebrity Attic. (R) 6.00 Great British Menu. 7.00 The Culture Show. 8.00 Springwatch 2011. 9.00 The Shadow Line. Gatehouse finally tracks down Glickman. 10.00 Psychoville 2. 10.30 Newsnight; Weather. 11.20 Time to Remember. (R) 11.50 French Open Tennis. 12.50 The Culture Show. (R) 1.50 BBC News. 4.40 Close.

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BBC2 6.00 CBeebies. 7.00 CBBC. 8.30 CBeebies. 11.35 Film: Cattle Queen of Montana. (1954) Western, starring Barbara Stanwyck. 1.00 Animal Park. (R) 1.30 Live Horse Racing. The opening day of the Derby Festival at Epsom. 4.30 The Hairy Bikers' Food Tour of Britain. (R) 5.15 Cash in the Celebrity Attic. (R) 6.00 Great British Menu. 7.00 Windfarm Wars. 8.00 Petworth House – The Big Spring Clean. (R) 8.30 Gardeners' World. 9.00 Julia Bradbury's Canal Walks. 9.30 Paul Merton's Birth of Hollywood. 10.30 Newsnight. 11.00 The Review Show; Weather. 11.50 Foo Fighters: Back and Forth. 1.35 Foo Fighters at R1BW 2011. 2.05 French Open Tennis. 3.05 Close.

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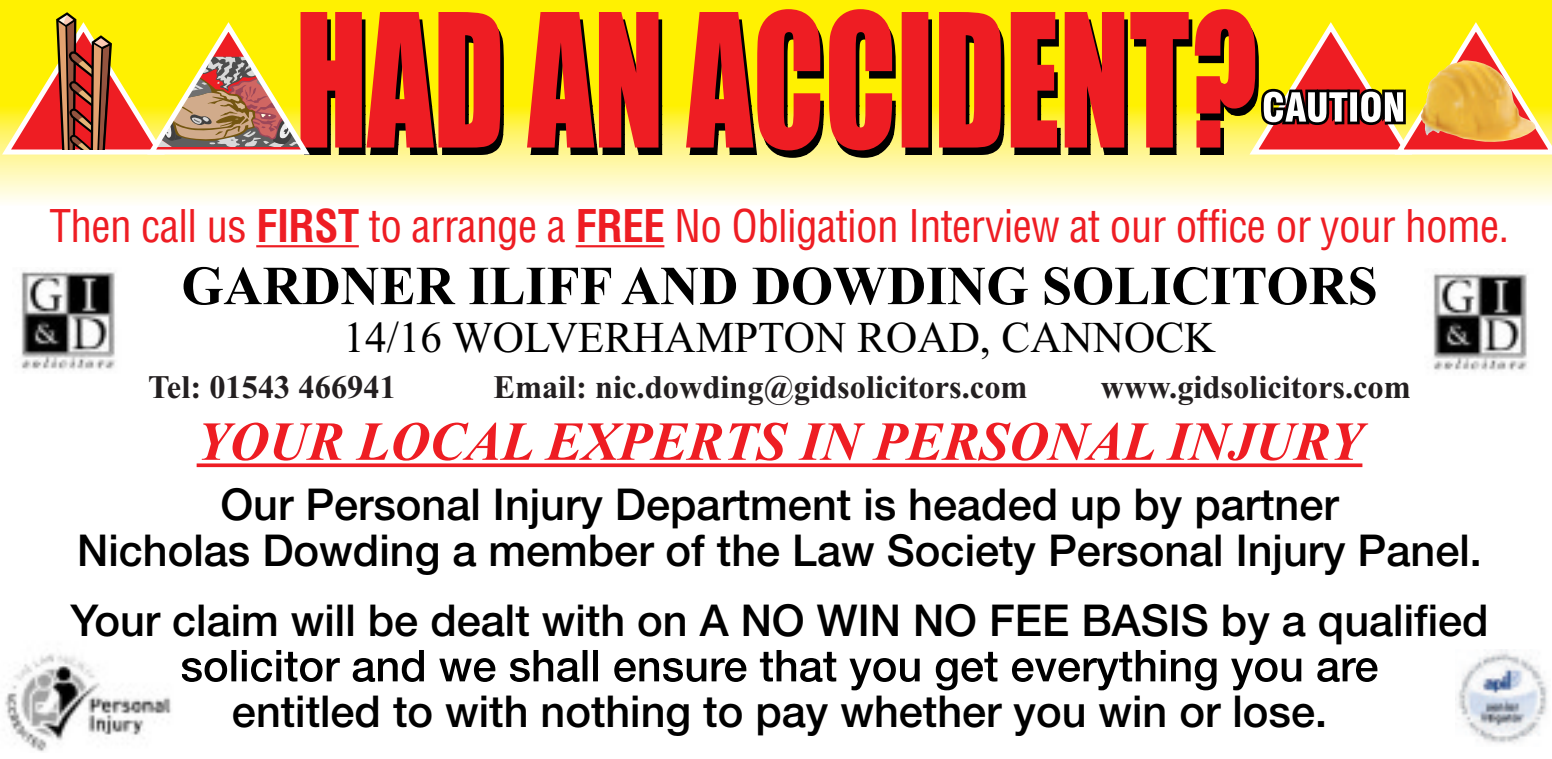

Brain Gym

No.118

Codeword

Each number in the grid represents a different letter of the alphabet and every letter of the alphabet is used. Use the given letter(s) to the right of the main grid to start you off.

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LAST WEEK'S SOLUTION:

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Double Crossword

Choose either quick or cryptic clues - both fit the same grid.

Cryptic Clues:

Across

3. One may take this flight without effort (9)
8. Third man sounds competent enough (4)
9. Lady-killer (9)
10. Replace points in a car engine (6)
11. Strain with others after a point (5)
14. It's frequently found in a game of tennis (5)
15. Friar beloved by schoolboys (4)
16. Hastens to show decay in the back-street (5)
18. Implement for returning stolen goods (4)
20. Sound description of part of Boston a long time ago (5)
21. Recorded as well-known (5)
24. Spring past (6)
25. Shrinks form making agreements? (9)
26. Even you could live in one! (4)
27. Trials on the way (4-5)

Down

1. Possibly pots palms for brightening up the street? (4-5)
2. Feeling welcome to Editors? (9)
4. A command to avoid (4)
5. One of the snakes in snakes and ladders (5)
6. Stop for a break, we hear (6)
7. This oven is much too hot when red outside (4)
9. High horse? (5)
11. Tried to get a hand (5)
12. Record-holder (9)
13. They illuminate the scene - like stars? (9)
17. Pauses to put a toy on board (5)
19. Given the sack? (6)
22. Eradicate a seer perhaps (5)
23. To make a commotion (2-2)
24. Let it stand a new test (4)

Quick Clues:

Across

3. Chief (9)
8. Comply with (4)
9. Pleasant (9)
10. Russian plain (6)
11. Savoury jelly (5)
14. Wanderer (5)
15. Coconut fibre (4)
16. Rips (5)
18. Hypocrisy (4)
20. Short coat (5)
21. Flagrant (5)
24. Writing instrument (6)
25. Differed (9)
26. Intend (4)
27. In want (9)

Down

1. Build (9)
2. Worthy (9)
4. Anger (4)
5. Requirements (5)
6. Sloping type (6)
7. Competent (4)
9. Separate (5)
11. Accumulate (5)
12. Joined (9)
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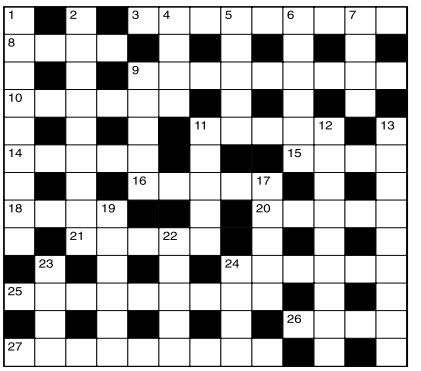
22. Support (5)
23. Grow weary (4)
24. Shut up (4)



LAST WEEK'S SOLUTIONS:
CRYPTIC - Across: 1 Tots; 3 Cataract; 8 Laud; 9 Foursome; 11 Outward bound; 13 Eleven; 14 Stroke; 17 Chimney sweep; 20 Absentee; 21 Pawn; 22 Everyone; 23 Free. Down: 1 Talk over; 2 Trustee; 4 Avoids; 5 Air-hostess; 6 Adorn; 7 Tree; 10 Paper money; 12 Response; 15 Open air; 16 Demean; 18 Haste; 19 Race. QUICK - Across: 1 Bleb; 3 Imprison; 8 Copy; 9 Preclude; 11 Blandishment; 13 Tendon; 14 Better; 17 Pitilessness; 20 Specious; 21 Able; 2 Extended; 23 Feat. Down: 1 Backbite; 2 Explain; 4 Morose; 5 Recompense; 6 Spurn; 7 Need; 10 Admonition; 12 Prospect; 15 Tremble; 16 Repute; 18 Inept; 19 Isle.

Sudoku

Fill in the grid below so that every column, every row and each of the 3x3 boxes contains all the digits from 1 to 9.

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LAST WEEK'S SOLUTIONS >

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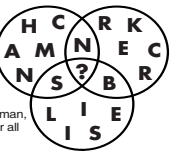
Circlegram

Replace the question mark with a letter so that the letters within each circle can be arranged to form words on a common theme. What are the three words, and the letter represented by the question mark?



LAST WEEK'S SOLUTION: The letter represented by the question mark is A. Doberman, Papillon, Labrador all breeds of dog.

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The Merchant of Venice, Royal Shakespeare Theatre, Stratford-upon-Avon.

DIRECTOR Rupert Goold's brash and bold version of Shakespeare's most controversial play could be renamed The Merchant of Vegas, relocating the tale of Shylock the Jew from 1500s Venice to Sin City USA.

It is set amid the gaming tables and fruit machines of a casino complete with showgirls, mobsters and a hip-shaking Elvis impersonator.

The purists and the traditionalists will loathe it. But this is vibrant, sexy, laugh-out-loud Shakespeare which, crucially, does not flinch from the cruel anti-Semitism at the heart of this play.

In this glitzy production ducats change to dollars and Shakespeare's lines are delivered with broad American accents.

Within this radical re-imagining, which bares the stamp of the director who had West End success with the flashy and hard-hitting Enron, Shakespeare's language and themes of racism and greed remain intact. It is not dumbed down but it is on an artificial high, as are some of the characters judging by the little white wraps they slip each other. Patrick Stewart is implacable and frightening as the money-lender Shylock, literally demanding his "pound of flesh" from the merchant Antonio (a solemn performance by Scott Handy) when he fails to repay his debt.

Emily Plumtree (Nerissa) and Susannah Fielding (Portia) in The Merchant of Venice at the Royal Shakespeare Theatre *Photo: Ellie Kurttz/RSC*

Here his vengeance is partly redirected rage after his daughter Jessica (a dowdy, bespectacled Caroline Martin) betrays him by running off with her Christian boyfriend (Daniel Percival's wiseguy Lorenzo) and the family treasure. They leave dressed as Batman and Robin during a riotous carnival.

Stewart delivers the "Hath not a Jew eyes?" speech with great power.

It opens the audience's eyes to his pain at the casual, unthinking self-righteous racism of Antonio and his ilk. It is insult and exclusion that drives Shylock's monstrous thirst for revenge.

However, the actor knight is not the star of this production. Susannah Fielding is stunning as a southern belle Portia, the woman wooed by Antonio's friend Bassanio (Richard Riddell's hunk with a heart), the financing of which caused the debt.

The scenes in which her suitors must solve a riddle and choose a casket to prove their suitability, is presented as the TV quiz show Destiny. Contestants include the Prince of Morocco as heavyweight boxer and Mexican-hat wearing Prince of Arragon.

Her Portia is no dumb blonde, akin to Legally Blonde's Elle Woods as she turns into a lawyer (in disguise as a man) for one of the most famous court scenes in theatre.

All the glittering glamour is cast aside in a downbeat ending.

Fielding is spellbinding as Portia breaks down, tearing off her blonde wig and stumbling out of her high heels as she realises her Bassanio loves Antonio more.

The Merchant of Venice is in the RSC's repertoire at Stratford until September 24.

Leon Burakowski

Shaolin Warriors Grand Theatre, Wolverhampton

DELIVERING a knock-out performance at the near full Grand, the Shaolin Warriors gave a stunned audience an insight into the monks daily life of meditation and training. A blend of martial arts, spectacular showbiz choreography, eerie music and lighting created an authentic atmosphere.

Demonstrating amazing feats of strength and mind over matter with superb balance, grace and precision, the 20 or so men and two boys gave a breathtaking performance. Every hand was exactly the same and every kick and punch was delivered with perfect timing. Fighting techniques, empty handed and with a variety of exotic weapons,showcased their unbelievable skills.

They transformed themselves into snakes,tigers and monkeys using the agility of their bodies to bend and twist in all directions.

A little bit of fun came when youngsters from the audience were invited onto the stage to copy the movements of one of the monks. If they weren't in the right position he lifted them up and turned them round,much to the amusement of the rest of the audience. There was enthusiastic applause throughout the show and I think we all went home feeling very unfit.

Les Jowett

The Monkees, NIA, Birmingham

OK, I have to admit it. I've always been a believer. Going back to my early teenage years – a long time ago – I was one their greatest fans, much to the horror of my now grown-up children.

And obviously, at Birmingham's NIA on Saturday night, I was not alone. Yes hey, hey it was The Monkees on their 45th anniversary tour.

Well three of them anyway, which is one more than the last time I saw them in Birmingham a few years ago.

This time Davy Jones and Micky Dolenz were joined by Peter Tork. Mike Nesmith is no longer with them.

The years have been kinder to some more than others but to be fair they do have a combined age of more than 200.

It was difficult to see them close up as instead of large screens showing the band, we were instead shown film from their earlier years, and some very cringeworthy footage at that.

They came on to Hey, Hey We're The Monkees and went into I'm a Believer, which had the crowd up on their feet but there were a lot of lulls before the obvious favourites like Daydream Believer, Last Train to Clarksville and Pleasant Valley Sunday.

The audience was mixed, with surprisingly quite a few youngsters. I don't know if it was just curiosity value, but at the high price of the seats I doubt that, but some did filter off before the end.

Overall their voices are still pretty strong and the backing group were excellent but the annoying screen did detract from their singing.

Still it was a nice stroll down memory lane before it was time to take the last train back to Wolverhampton.

Sue Attwater

The mesmerising Vincent Simone and Flavia Cacace

Midnight Tango, Birmingham Hippodrome

IMPRESSIVE scenery created the perfect atmosphere for the sensational Midnight Tango, transferring the stage of the Hippodrome into a bar in downtown Buenos Aires.

Celebrating the passionate dance of tango, this wonderful production, starring Strictly Come Dancing's Vincent Simone and Flavia Cacace, is full of drama, sensuality and elegance.

The loose storyline centres on two lovers using stunning dance to plot out different stages of their relationship.

Sleek,stylish and sexy are the ingredients for the breath-taking dance routines performed by the entire cast. Joined on stage by 10 superb tango dancers,there is no doubt, though, who the stars are as cheers from the audience greeted Vincent and Flavia.

Performing incredible dance routines that demanded perfect timing, the couple are mesmerising as their legs intertwine, making it almost impossible to work out where one body ends and the other begins.

The beautiful and distinctive music is played by the first-class Tango Siempre musicians together with the incredible voice of Martin Alvarado.

A well received duet with the violinist displayed another of Flavia's talents.

Husband and wife owners of the bar sprinkled an excellent comedy element throughout the show.

The final Fiesta scene was an explosion of colour,music and energy that brought the audience to their feet for a standing ovation.

Les Jowett

The Blues Brothers, Grand Theatre, Wolverhampton

SWEAT glistening on brows and a struggle to breathe after two hours of high energy, high emotion singing and dancing – and that was just the audience at The All New Original Tribute to the Blues Brothers.

The Brothers themselves and their backing singers and dancers, the Bluettes, must have been absolutely shattered.

This show doesn't try to tell the original story of how Jake and Elwood were trying to raise cash for an orphanage through their shows. Basically it just takes you on a breathless ride through a series of great songs.

As usual, it starts with the Peter Gunn Theme and Act 1 also includes classics like Can't Turn You Loose, Shake A Tail Feather, Respect and Land of a Thousand Dances.

Brad Henshaw makes an ideal Jake and brings back memories of John Belushi, who first played the role. Henshaw is just the right build – slightly overweight with his shirt buttons straining to contain his stomach and dishevelled compared with the smart Elwood (Daniel Fletcher).

But Fletcher takes lead in the highlight of Act 2 – a slowed-down, near a capella version of Under The Boardwalk, with perfect harmonising by the Bluettes.

Then they revved it up again with Think, Soul Man and Jailhouse Rock before a medley for the encore.

There's plenty of humour in the show, with Heath Town getting some stick, and a few references to Wolves and their boss, Mick McCarthy. It was ironic that we had the Blues raising a cheer after Wolves stayed in the Premiership by the skin of their teeth, which condemned Birmingham's Blues to relegation.

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"The script for our latest campaign doesn't end there, as our growing fanbase on Facebook and Twitter will have the chance to claim one of a number of prizes which are sure to have them on the edge of their seats.

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Development's tribute to popular staff member

Senior Sales Executive Wendy Bowley gets ready to release dozens of balloons in memory of former colleague Pauline Broadhurst, with Pauline's widower Clive

Balloon release marks opening of showhome

BALLOONS were released in memory of popular Taylor Wimpey Sales Executive Pauline Broadhurst to mark the official opening of a new showhome at the development named after her in Huntington.

Pauline, who hailed from the Brownhills area of the West Midlands, died in February 2010 aged 56 years after been diagnosed with a malignant melanoma brain tumour. She was a well-loved member of the Taylor Wimpey team and Broadhurst Gardens was subsequently named in her memory when it was launched in September 2010.

On Thursday, May 12, Pauline's husband Clive was joined by Sales Executives from across the region to officially open the new showhome at Broadhurst Gardens in a ceremony which also saw the balloons released in a moving tribute.

Carl Cooke, Regional Sales and Marketing Director for Taylor Wimpey, says: "It was an incredibly moving event, with tears but also plenty of laughter as the team recalled fond memories of their dear colleague Pauline.

"I would like to thank Clive and his family for attending what must have been an incredibly emotional ceremony – Pauline would have been very proud of him"

The four-bedroom 'Huntington' showhome is now open to the public at Broadhurst Gardens, which is located off Stafford Road, Huntington, and open between 11am and 5pm, Thursday to Monday. Alternatively, the sales executive can be contacted on 0845 0264121.

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LITTLEWORTH HILL, HEDNESFORD

NO CHAIN

- Extensive Detached Property
- Lounge/Dining Room
- Kitchen/Diner
- Four Bedrooms
- En-Suite
- Ground Floor Shower Room
- In Need of Modernisation

FOR SALE

Offers Around £339,500

SIMILAR PROPERTIES REQUIRED

SOLD

- Appledore Close, Wimblebury
- Link Detached Property
- Three Bedrooms
- Close to Local Amenities
- Sold within 24hrs of price reduction

FOR SALE

SOLD

SIMILAR PROPERTIES REQUIRED

S.S.T.C

- St. Michaels Drive, Hednesford
- One Bedroom Flat
- Lounge
- Rear Garden
- Sold within 5 days

FOR SALE

S.S.T.C

SIMILAR PROPERTIES REQUIRED

S.S.T.C

- Carlton Close, Heath Hayes
- Semi Detacted Property
- Kitchen/Diner
- Two Bedrooms
- No Chain

FOR SALE

S.S.T.C

SIMILAR PROPERTIES REQUIRED

S.S.T.C

- Abbey Street, Hednesford
- Three Bedroom Detached Property
- Lounge
- Dining Room
- Kitchen

FOR SALE

S.S.T.C

SIMILAR PROPERTIES REQUIRED

S.S.T.C

- Fisher Street, Hednesford
- Two Bedroom Bungalow
- Central Heating
- Off Road Parking
- No Upward Chain

FOR SALE

S.S.T.C

CEMETERY ROAD, CANNOCK

- Detached Family Home
- Lounge
- Dining Room
- Kitchen
- Three Bedrooms
- Family Bathroom
- Shower Room
- Off Road Parking

TO LET

£675 PCM

MEADOWBROOK, HEDNESFORD

- First Floor Apartment
- Open Plan Lounge/Kitchen
- Bathroom
- Two Bedrooms
- Master En-Suite
- Security Intercom Access
- Allocated Parking

TO LET

£550 PCM

WOODLANDS COURT, HEDNESFORD

- Two Bed Second Floor Apartment
- Security Intercom Access
- Open Plan Living
- Kitchen
- Bathroom
- En-Suite
- Allocated Parking

TO LET

£495 PCM

THIMBLE COTTAGE, GREAT HAYWOOD

- End Terrace
- Two Bedrooms
- Shaker Style Kitchen
- Lounge
- Shower Room
- Guest WC
- Part Furnished
- Suit Professional Couple

TO LET

£525 PCM

DEERHURST RISE, HEDNESFORD

- Semi Detached Property
- Lounge
- Kitchen/Diner
- Guest W.C
- Three Bedrooms
- Rear Garden
- Off Road Parking

TO LET

£550 PCM

BURN STREET, CHADSMOOR
LET

SIMILAR REQUIRED

- Semi Detached Property
- Lounge
- Kitchen/Diner
- Three Bedrooms
- Bathroom
- Double Glazing
- Off Road Parking

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ENTRIES INVITED

21 RAILWAY VIEW, HEDNESFORD
WELL EQUIPPED DETACHED HOUSE OFFERING FOUR BEDROOMED ACCOMMODATION ON THREE FLOORS

- Canopy porch
- Reception hall
- Cloakroom with wc
- Lounge
- Fitted dining kitchen
- Utility room
- Landing
- Two (first floor) bedrooms
- En-suite shower room (first floor)
- Family bathroom (first floor)
- Landing (second floor)
- Two bedrooms (second floor)
- Detached garage
- Gardens
- Gas fired central heating
- Fully double glazed
- No chain
- Inspection highly recommended

£179,950 FREEHOLD

75 CHAPEL STREET, NORTON CANES
CONSIDERABLY IMPROVED WELL EQUIPPED THREE BEDROOMED SEMI DETACHED HOUSE

- Entrance lobby
- Reception hall
- Lounge
- Fitted breakfast kitchen
- Landing
- Three bedrooms
- Refitted bathroom
- Built-on double length garage
- Gardens
- Gas fired central heating
- Fully double glazed
- Intruder alarm
- Inspection highly recommended

£136,950 FREEHOLD

229 LONGFORD ROAD, CANNOCK
CONSIDERABLY IMPROVED WELL EQUIPPED THREE BEDROOMED SEMI DETACHED HOUSE

- Entrance lobby
- Reception hall
- Lounge
- Refitted kitchen
- Double glazed conservatory
- Side porch/utility
- Landing
- Three bedrooms
- Refitted bathroom
- Integral garage
- Gardens
- Gas fired central heating
- Fully double glazed
- Intruder alarm
- Inspection recommended

£136,950 FREEHOLD

454 PYE GREEN ROAD, HEDNESFORD
CONSIDERABLY IMPROVED AND EXTENDED DETACHED HOUSE

- Canopy porch
- Entrance lobby
- Dining room
- Lounge
- Refitted kitchen
- Utility room
- Refitted cloakroom with wc
- Three double bedrooms
- Refitted bathroom with wc
- Integral garage
- Fully double glazed
- Gas central heating
- Well stocked gardens
- No chain
- Inspection recommended

£159,950 FREEHOLD

96 OLD PENKRIDGE ROAD, CANNOCK

NEW PRICE

DETACHED HOUSE OF CHARACTER BUILT IN THE POPULAR INTER WAR PERIOD OFFERING THREE DOUBLE BEDROOMED ACCOMMODATION

Located In One Of Cannocks Prime Residential Areas Overlooking Cannock Park To The Rear Convenient For Facilities In The Town Centre And Close To Cannock Chase An Area Noted For Its Outstanding Natural Beauty

- Enclosed porch
- Reception hall
- Sitting room
- Living room
- Dining room
- Breakfast kitchen
- Cloakroom with wc
- Central galleried landing
- Three bedrooms
- Family bathroom
- Balcony overlooking rear garden and park
- Built-on garage
- Gas fired central heating
- Predominantly double glazed
- Intruder alarm
- Inspection highly recommended

£325,000 FREEHOLD

MARTIN GROVE, HILTON LANE, GREAT WYRLEY
(Rear of 24 Hilton Lane)

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Plot 3 *Computer generated illustration*

Optional 600 sqft second floor accommodation equivelent to a one bed apartment

Beaumont
Superbly well equipped five bedroomed detached family residencewith potential to provide up to seven bedrooms

- Impressive central reception hall with Amtico floor
- Cloakroom with hand basin and wc
- Four reception rooms
- Luxury kitchen with a range of appliances and granite work surfaces
- Utility room
- Three en suites
- Five bedrooms all with fitted Hammonds wardrobes
- Family bathroom
- Double width detached garage
- Full gas fired central heating
- Fully double glazed
- Intelligent lighting system
- Very high specification

Plot 3 Beaumont House
Five Beds £450,000 Freehold

100% VALUATION
PART EXCHANGE AVAILABLE

9 HATHERTON CROFT, CANNOCK

NEW PRICE

WELL EQUIPPED FOUR BEDROOMED DETACHED FAMILY HOUSE Located In Cul-de-sac In Much Sought After Residential Area Of The Town

- Canopy porch
- Reception hall
- Cloakroom with wc
- Lounge
- Dining room
- Study
- Breakfast kitchen
- Utility room
- Landing
- Four bedrooms
- En-suite bathroom
- Refitted family bathroom
- Built-on double width garage
- Gardens
- All windows double glazed
- Gas fired central heating
- Intruder alarm
- Inspection recommended

£299,950 FREEHOLD

45 PRIORY ROAD, HEDNESFORD
CONSIDERABLY IMPROVED WELL EQUIPPED THREE BEDROOMED SEMI DETACHED BUNGALOW

- Recessed porch
- Entrance lobby
- Lounge
- Raised dining area
- Refitted breakfast kitchen
- Inner hall
- Three bedrooms
- Fitted bathroom
- Attic room
- Detached garage
- Gardens
- Gas fired central heating
- Fully double glazed
- Intruder alarm
- Inspection highly recommended

£152,000 FREEHOLD

22 POPLAR LANE, CANNOCK
EXTENDED WELL EQUIPPED TWO/THREE BEDROOMED DETACHED BUNGALOW

- Enclosed porch
- Entrance lobby
- L-shaped lounge/dining area
- Inner hall
- Breakfast kitchen
- Side entrance lobby
- Dining room/bedroom three
- Two double bedrooms
- Bathroom
- Separate toilet
- Built-on garage
- Well stocked gardens
- Fully double glazed
- Gas fired central heating
- Intruder alarm
- No chain
- Inspection recommended

£225,000 FREEHOLD

18 STREETS LANE, CHESLYN HAY
WELL EQUIPPED THREE BEDROOMED DETACHED BUNGALOW

- Side enclosed porch
- Reception hall
- Lounge/dining area
- Breakfast kitchen
- Three bedrooms
- Refitted bathroom
- Built-on garage
- Well stocked gardens
- Fully double glazed
- Gas fired central heating
- Intruder alarm
- No chain
- Inspection highly recommended

£235,000 FREEHOLD

ASTLE HOUSE, 28 WOLVERHAMPTON ROAD, WEDGES MILLS
CONSIDERABLY IMPROVED/REFURBISHED WELL EQUIPPED SEMI DETACHED TWO BEDROOMED COTTAGE

- Lounge
- Fitted dining kitchen
- Rear entrance hall
- Landing
- Two bedrooms
- Bathroom
- Garage
- Gardens to rear
- Gas central heating
- Predominantly double glazed
- Inspection recommended
- No chain

£136,950 FREEHOLD

4 RAILWAY VIEW, HEDNESFORD
WELL EQUIPPED FOUR BEDROOMED DETACHED HOUSE

- Reception hall
- Cloakroom with wc
- Lounge
- Dining room
- Fitted kitchen
- Landing
- Three bedrooms (first floor)
- Family bathroom (first floor)
- Master bedroom (second floor)
- En-suite shower room (second floor)
- Garage
- Well stocked gardens
- Gas central heating
- Fully double glazed
- Intruder alarm
- Inspection highly recommended

£199,950 FREEHOLD

NEW PRICE

58 BROAD STREET, BRIDGTOWN
CONSIDERABLY IMPROVED WELL EQUIPPED MID MEWS HOUSE Offering Two Reception Rooms And Two Bedrooms

- Sitting room
- Living room
- Refitted kitchen
- Utility area
- Landing
- Two bedrooms
- Refitted shower room
- Gardens
- Gas fired cental heating
- Fully double glazed
- Intruder alarm
- Inspection highly recommended

£99,950 FREEHOLD

125 WALSALL ROAD, NORTON CANES

CONSIDERABLY IMPROVED AND EXTENDED FOUR BEDROOMED DETACHED HOUSE WITH DETACHED ANNEX BUNGALOW Occupying Well Stocked Gardens Convenient For Facilities At The Village Centre

- Main house comprising:
- Enclosed porch
- Hall
- Lounge
- Dining area
- Study
- Fitted kitchen area
- Double glazed conservatory
- Landing
- Four bedrooms
- En-suite shower
- Bathroom
- Possible garage space
- Well stocked gardens
- Fully double glazed
- Gas fired central heating
- Intruder alarm
- Detached annex bungalow comprising:
- Lounge
- Kitchen area
- Bedroom
- Shower room

£245,000 FREEHOLD

80 STATION STREET, CHESLYN HAY
MID TERRACED TWO BEDROOMED HOUSE

- Sitting room
- Living room
- Kitchen
- Utility/rear porch
- Two bedrooms
- Bathroom
- Garden
- Part electric heating
- Part double glazed
- No chain

£86,950 FREEHOLD

13 CROXLEY DRIVE, HEDNESFORD

NO CHAIN

WELL EQUIPPED FOUR BEDROOMED DETACHED FAMILY RESIDENCE Located In Cul-de-sac In Popular Residential Area Convenient For Facilities

- Canopy porch
- Reception hall
- Cloakroom with wc
- Lounge
- Dining/sitting room
- Fitted dining kitchen
- Utility room
- Central galleried landing
- Four double bedrooms
- En-suite bathroom
- Family bathroom
- Integral garage
- Well stocked gardens
- Gas fired central heating
- Fully double glazed
- Intruder alarm
- No chain
- Inspection highly recommended

£239,995 FREEHOLD

12 LAWNSWOOD CLOSE, HEATH HAYES
TWO BEDROOMED END MEWS HOUSE

- Lounge
- Breakfast kitchen
- Landing
- Two bedrooms
- Bathroom
- Gas central heating
- Fully double glazed
- Landscaped gardens
- Off road parking
- Ideal for first time buyers or as a buy to let

£119,950

146 WALSALL ROAD, CANNOCK
IMPROVED AND EXTENDED FOUR BEDROOMED DETCHED FAMILY HOUSE

- Enclosed porch
- Reception hall
- Cloakroom with wc
- Sitting room
- Living/dining room
- Breakfast kitchen
- Four bedrooms
- Bathroom
- Integral garage
- Well stocked gardens
- Gas fired central heating
- Fully double glazed
- Inspection recommended

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HOLYOAKE PLACE
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In need of upgrade and refurbishment. Entrance Porch, Reception Hall, Lounge/Dining Room, Kitchen. Landing, Three Bedrooms and Bathroom. Gardens to front and rear.

£72,000

Due to a very busy first quarter we are not going to be carrying out any new valuations until July 2011. We apologise for the inconvenience this may cause but we feel we have a responsibility to our existing clients to be available to carry out accompanied viewings and sell their properties as quickly as possible.

10 UPPER BROOK STREET
RUGELEY

A refurbished first floor two bedroom apartment in town centre location. Gas Central Heating. Accommodation comprising Communal Entrance Hallway,Hallway,Open plan Lounge/Kitchen,Two Bedrooms and Bathroom.

£79,995

HISLOP ROAD
RUGELEY

A three bedroomed semi detached property ideal for first time buyers.UPVC Double Glazing and Gas Central Heating.The accommodation comprises Hallway,Lounge,Dining Room,Kitchen and Breakfast Room. Landing,Three Bedrooms and Bathroom. Gardens to front and rear.

£85,000

NEW ROAD
ARMITAGE

A well presented two bedroomed ground floor apartment with off road parking. UPVC Double Glazing and Gas Central Heating. Accommodation comprises Breakfast Kitchen, Shower Room, Inner Lobby, Lounge and Two Bedrooms.PART EXCHANGE CONSIDERED.

£100,000

LEAHALL LANE
BRERETON

UPVC double-glazed and gas centrally heated. Entrance Hall, Lounge/Dining Room, Kitchen. Landing, Three Bedrooms and Bathroom. Gardens to front and rear. Off-road parking leading to a Detached Sectional Garage. NO UPWARD CHAIN. PART EXCHANGE CONSIDERED

£110,000

SPRINGFIELD ROAD
RUGELEY

A modern three bedroomed three-storey mid townhouse with NO UPWARD CHAIN. UPVC Double Glazing and Gas Central Heating. Entrance Hallway, Downstairs W.C, Kitchen, Lounge. Landing to First Floor having Two Bedrooms and Family Bathroom. Second Floor having Master Bedroom and En Suite Shower Room. Gardens to front and rear. Off-road parking.

£110,000

WOLSELEY ROAD
RUGELEY

Secure Communal Entrance, Second Floor Landing, Entrance Hall, Open plan Lounge/Kitchen, Two Bedrooms with master having En-Suite Shower Room and additional Bathroom. Allocated Parking

£114,500

EATON DRIVE
RUGELEY

UPVC double-glazed and Gas centrally heated. Entrance Hall, Guest Cloakroom, Lounge, Fitted Kitchen. First Floor Landing with Two Bedrooms having En-suite to Master Bedroom. Second Floor Landing with Two Further Bedrooms and Bathroom. Allocated parking to rear. Paved area to front with enclosed garden to rear.

£145,000

LOCKSIDE VIEW
RUGELEY

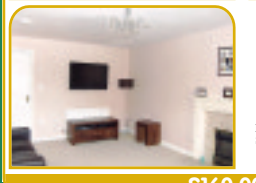
UPVC double-glazed and Gas centrally heated. Entrance Hall, Lounge, Dining Kitchen. Landing, Three Bedrooms and Bathroom. Driveway to side leading to SINGLE GARAGE. Enclosed garden to rear.

£149,950

ALBANY DRIVE
RUGELEY

UPVC double-glazed and Gas centrally heated. Entrance Hall, Lounge, Dining Kitchen. Landing, Three Bedrooms with shower unit in master bedroom plus Family Bathroom. DETACHED GARAGE. Gardens to front and rear.

£155,000



BURNTHILL LANE
RUGELEY

A link detached property on a modern housing development.UPVC Double Glazing and Gas Central Heating.Accommodation comprises Entrance Hallway,Guest Cloakroom,Lounge,Breakfast Kitchen. Landing,Three bedrooms one with En Suite Shower Room and Bathroom. Driveway for parking and access to SINGLE GARAGE.Gardens to front and rear.

£160,000

LOWER BIRCHES WAY
RUGELEY

Enclosed Porch, Reception Hall, Guest Cloakroom, Study, Lounge, Dining Room, refitted Breakfast Kitchen. Landing, Four Bedrooms, Two En-suite Shower Rooms and Famly Bathroom. SINGLE GARAGE. Double-width driveway. Enclosed garden to rear.

£225,000

ARMITAGE ROAD
RUGELEY

UPVC double-glazed and Gas centrally heated. Enclosed Porch, Reception Hall, Lounge, Sitting Room, Breakfast Kitchen, Utility Room and Study/Dining Room. Landing, Three Bedrooms, En-suite Shower Room and Family Bathroom. SINGLE GARAGE with off-road parking. Enclosed good sized rear garden.

£245,000

FORTESCUE LANE
RUGELEY

A well presented three bedroomed detached bungalow in sought after location within walking distance to the town centre. UPVC double-glazed and Gas centrally heated. Entrance Hall, Lounge, Breakfast Kitchen, Utility Room, Conservatory. Three Bedrooms and large Bathroom. Ample-off road parking. Enclosed garden to rear. SECTIONAL GARAGE TO THE REAR

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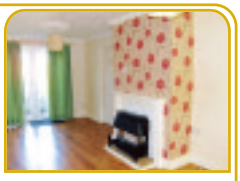

HISLOP ROAD RUGELEY

A three bedroomed semi detached property ideal for first time buyers.UPVC Double Glazing and Gas Central Heating.Accommodation comprises Entrance Hall,Lounge,Kitchen and Utility Area.Landing,Three Bedrooms and Bathroom.Off road parking to SINGLE DETACHED GARAGE and Garden to rear.NO UPWARD CHAIN.

£85,000

GRINDCOBBE GROVE RUGELEY

UPVC double-glazed and gas centrally heated. Entrance Hall, Lounge/Dining Room, Fitted Kitchen. Landing, Three Bedrooms and Bathroom. Gardens to front and rear. Enclosed rear parking area.

£89,995

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NO CHAIN

HUNTSMANS WALK RUGELEY

A three bedroomed semi detached property close to all local amenities. Gas Central Heating and UPVC Double Glazing.Accommodation comprises Entrance Porch,Hallway,Lounge,Breakfast Kitchen and Conservatory. Landing,Three Bedrooms and Bathroom. Driveway to Detached Garage and Gardens to front and rear.

£130,000

LOCKSIDE VIEW RUGELEY

A three bedroomed semi-detached benefiting from UPVC double-glazing and Gas central heating. Entrance Hall, Guest Cloakroom, Lounge, Dining Room, Fitted Kitchen. Landing, Three Bedrooms and Bathroom. SINGLE GARAGE. Gardens to front and rear.

£135,000

BRINDLEY BANK ROAD RUGELEY

A two bedroomed detached bungalow in a cul de sac location.UPVC Double Glazing and Gas Central Heating.Accommodation comprises Entrance Porch,Hallway,Seperate W.C,Lounge/Dining Room,Kitchen,Conservatory,Two Bedrooms,Bathroom,Inner Lobby and Utility Area.Driveway for several vehicles to Garage space and Gardens to front and rear.

£174,995

NO CHAIN

LOWER BIRCHES WAY RUGELEY

A four bedroomed detached property on a modern housing development.UPVC Double Glazing and Gas Central Heating.Accommodation comprises Entrance Hallway,Downstairs W.C,Breakfast Kitchen,Utility Room.Landing,Master Bedroom with En Suite Shower Room,Three Bedrooms and Family Bathroom.Driveway for several vehicles and Gardens to front and rear.

£208,995

NO CHAIN

ST JOHNS CLOSE SLITTING MILL

A secluded detached bungalow in a cul-de-sac position. Walking distance to Cannock Chase. Entrance Porch, Hallway, Lounge, Dining Room, Kitchen, Utility Room. Three Bedrooms and Bathroom. Gardens to all sides with SINGLE DETACHED GARAGE and driveway.

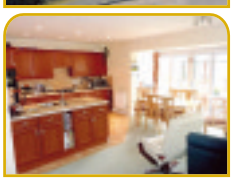
£240,000

NO CHAIN

Penk Drive North ETCHINGHILL

A rare opportunity to purchase a detached cottage set in1/2 an acre with full planning permission for two detached four bedroomed properties to the rear. Viewing is essential as the property offers flexible family accommodation with the ability to convert the DETACHED DOUBLE GARAGE located to the side of the property to enable a granny annexe for a dependent relative whilst still retaining independence.

£425,000



PINETREES BRERETON

A detached four bedroomed family home with views over Cannock Chase. UPVC Double Glazed Windows, Gas Central Heating, Entrance Hall, Guest Cloakroom, Lounge, Dining Kitchen, Utility, Conservatory. Landing, Four Bedrooms one with en-suite shower room and Family Bathroom. This property also has a DOUBLE GARAGE.

£249,950

NO CHAIN

STONEHOUSE ROAD ETCHINGHILL

An individually designed detached with enviable views over Cannock Chase and open fields to rear. Entrance Porch, Reception Hall, Lounge, Dining Room, Utility Room, Breakfast Kitchen, Downstairs Bathroom. Landing, Three Bedrooms one with en-suite W.C. Ample off-road parking. GARAGE TO SIDE with workshop. Enclosed garden to rear. NO UPWARD CHAIN.

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RUGELEY

A modern ground floor apartment with electric heating. The accommodation comprises of Lounge, Kitchen with appliances, One Double Bedroom and Bathroom.

NO DSS NO PETS NO SMOKERS

£395 PCM

BRERETON ROAD
RUGELEY

A modern first floor maisonette comprising of Communal Entrance with security access. Entrance Hall, Lounge, Kitchen with some appliances, Two Bedrooms and Two Shower Rooms. Off-road parking. VIEWING RECOMMENDED

NO DSS NO PETS NO SMOKERS

£400 PCM

NEW

ANSON MEWS
RUGELEY

A ground floor canalside apartment. The accommodation comprises Open plan Lounge/Kitchen, One Double Bedroom and Bathroom. A small patio area at the rear overlooks the canal. Allocated parking.

NO DSS NO PETS NO SMOKERS

£405 PCM

NEW

LANRICK GARDENS
RUGELEY

A detached Bungalow in a sought after location benefiting from Double-Glazing and Electric Heating. Entrance Hall, Lounge, Kitchen with some appliances, Shower Room and One Bedroom. Carport to front. Garden to rear.

NO DSS NO PETS NO SMOKERS

£425 PCM

ANSON MEWS
RUGELEY

First floor mezzanine apartment with canal views to rear. Accommodation Comprises Lounge, Kitchen with some appliances, Double Bedroom and Bathroom, Mezzanine Floor with One Double Bedroom, Electric Storage Heating. Allocated Parking. VIEWING RECOMMENDED.
NO DSS NO PETS NO SMOKERS

£445 PCM

SUNBEAM DRIVE
GREAT WYRLEY

First Floor Maisonette benefiting from Gas Central Heating and Double Glazing. Accommodation comprises Re-fitted Kitchen with some appliances, Lounge. Three Bedrooms and Bathroom.

NO DSS NO SMOKERS NO PETS

£460 PCM

NORWOOD HOUSE
ETCHINGHILL

A good sized apartment in sought after location benefiting from UPVC Double Glazing and Electric Heating. Accommodation comprises Communal Entrance Hall, Second Floor Landing, Lounge/Dining Room, Breakfast Kitchen. Inner Hallway, Two Bedrooms and Bathroom. Communal Gardens with Garage and Parking. VIEWING RECOMMENDED.

NO DSS NO SMOKERS NO PETS

£470 PCM

ARCH STREET
RUGELEY

Spacious terraced property benefiting from Gas Central Heating. Spacious Lounge, Kitchen. First floor double bedroom with dressing area and Bathroom. Second floor Double Bedroom. Courtyard Garden to rear.

£470 PCM

WINDSOR CLOSE
RUGELEY

A modern two bedroomed townhouse benefiting from Gas Central Heating. Accommodation comprises Entrance Porch, Lounge, Inner Lobby, Guest Cloaks, Kitchen with some appliances, Two Bedrooms and Bathroom. Allocated parking. Gardens to front and rear. VIEWING RECOMMENDED.

NO DSS NO SMOKERS NO PETS

£499 PCM

MARKET PLACE
ABBOTS BROMLEY

Spacious, re-furbished two storey period apartment in village location with many character features, benefiting from Gas Central Heating. Accommodation comprises Entrance porch with stairs leading to Hallway, Lounge, Kitchen with appliances, Family Bathroom, Three Double Bedrooms each with en-suite shower room. Viewing recommended. Utilities included.

NO DSS NO PETS NO SMOKERS

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Making the most of your garden

SUMMER is here and it's time to get the most out of your garden or patio. Here is a selection of new products from Lakeland to help you do just that.

Take some of the effort out of gardening and save space too with the Foldaway Wheelbarrow. When folded up and put away it's a real shed space saver, which can be tucked into a corner or hung from a hook. It has a lightweight but sturdy steel frame, solid rubber wheel and a durable, tear-resistant material body that holds up to 44lbs. £31.99.

Once the work in the garden is done it's great to have a **well deserved rest on a lounger**. For comfort and practicality it's hard to beat the French makers Lafuma, whose **water resistant PVC coated p**olyester yarn material and **elastic shock cord design are** optimised for relaxation and low maintenance. The lounger, available in stone colour, suspends the body and has a four-position adjustable backrest with built-in headrest. Its tubular steel frame is lightweight but the lounger is tough enough to be left out in all weathers and can be hosed clean. Ideal for reading, resting, sunbathing and snoozing, it could even be used as a camp bed. The lounger costs £133.99 and comes with a two-year manufacturer's guarantee.

Grow your own herbs or salad plants in this easy self-assembly Mini Greenhouse that can fit on a patio, back yard or maybe even a balcony. It's great for tomatoes or seed propagation, offering three shelves which slot together without the need for tools. The PVC cover has two front zips for easy access. £21.99.

Get summer sizzling with the new Bodum Frykat Barbecues. These portable grill pots come in three colours – bright orange, pale green and black – and each compact, enamel-coated BBQ features a clip-on lid and heat resistant handle. They're great for picnics, patios and garden parties. £35.99.

To find out more on these products or order contact Lakeland on 015394 88100 or go to www.lakeland.co.uk

Adding a sprinkle of your own fresh herbs from the garden or kitchen window sill gives a nice finishing touch to meals. The Microplane Herb Mill with its safely encased stainless steel blades finely chops herbs such as parsley, mint, sage, dill and basil – all it takes is a twist of the wrist. But washed herbs must be patted dry before use. £24.99.

Enjoy beautiful hyacinths indoors without mess with this pack of three hyacinth glasses. Buy your own bulbs and then see them grow supported just above the water, forcing the roots so these attractive plants can be enjoyed earlier than if planted outside. £14.99.

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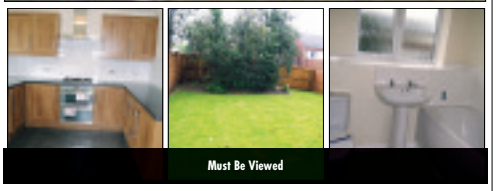
- Corner Plot
- 3/4 Bedrooms
- Extended Kitchen
- Popular Location
- DG & GCH
- Ideal Family Home
- No chain
- Viewing Essential

£209,995

Eaton Croft, Rugeley



Chase Independent are pleased to offer for sale this stunning four bedroom detached property. Located within walking distance to the town centre, this exclusive gated develpoment has just 24 properties. Offering the rare opportunity to live close to the natural beauty and splendour of Cannock Chase, whilst within comfortable reach for the commuter to the Midlands motorway network or nearby rail station.
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The accommodation briefly comprises: entrance hallway, lounge, separate dining room, breakfast kitchen, guest WC, four bedrooms, master with en-suite, garage, driveway, gardens, double glazing and gas central heating.
Viewing is strongly recommended to appreciate this well appointed home.

£249,950

Leahall Lane, Rugeley

- Semi Detached House
- Three Bedrooms
- GCH & DG
- Extended To Rear
- Deceptively Spacious
- Immaculately Presented
- No Chain
- Viewing Essential

£149,950

Durham Drive, Rugeley

- Three Bedroom Link Detached House
- GCH & DG
- Lounge
- Re-Fitted Kitchen
- Re-Fitted Bathroom
- Guest WC and Utility Room
- Driveway
- Immaculately Presented

£165,00

Wolseley Road, Rugeley

- Three Bedroom Semi Detached
- Garage Conversion/4th Bedroom
- Conservatory
- Lounge Diner
- DG & GCH
- Off Road Parking
- Well Presented
- No Chain

£149,950

Lockside View, Rugeley

- Detached House
- Three Bedrooms
- Lounge Diner
- Master With En-Suite
- Garage & Driveway
- Close To Town
- Ideal Family Home
- Well Presented

£159,950

Bower Lane, Rugeley

- 3/4 Bedroom Property
- GCH/DG
- Lounge
- Kitchen/Diner
- Unique Layout
- Sun Terrace
- Garage And Ample Parking
- No Chain

£269,950

Lockside View, Rugeley

- Three Bedrooms
- DG/GCH
- Guest Cloakroom
- Lounge
- Separate Dining Room
- Kitchen
- Corner Plot
- Viewing Essential

£139,950

Fairmount Way, Rugeley

- Well Presented Semi
- Three Bedrooms
- GCH & DG
- Lounge
- Re-fitted Kitchen/Diner
- Re-fitted Bathroom
- Gardens Front and Rear
- Driveway

£135,000

Fernwood Drive, Rugeley

- Three Bedrooms
- Semi Detached
- Lounge & Dining Room
- Garage & Parking
- Double Glazing
- Gas Central Heating
- Viewing By Appointment

£105,000

Allen Birt Walk, Rugeley

- Three Bedrooms
- Lounge Diner
- Kitchen
- In Need Of Modernisation
- No Chain
- Ideal Investment Purchase
- DG & GCH (where specified)
- Viewing By Appointment

£89,950

Leasowe Road, Brereton, Rugeley

- Well Presented
- Three Bedrooms
- Mature Semi Detached
- Attractive Kitchen
- Generous Gardens
- DG & GCH
- Conservatory
- Viewing Is Essential

£109,950

Jubilee Street, Rugeley

- Three Bedrooms
- Traditional Semi
- Lounge
- Kitchen Diner
- Off Road Parking
- GCH & DG
- 1st Time / Family Purchase
- Viewing By Appointment

£109,950

Green Lane, Rugeley

- Three Bedroom Property
- DG & GCH
- Lounge
- Dining Room
- Three Bedrooms
- Family Bathroom
- Good Sized Rear Garden
- Viewing by Appointment

£104,950

Tuppenhurst Lane, Handsacre

- Two Bedrooms
- Modern Mid Terraced
- Off Road Parking
- Kitchen Diner
- Lounge
- Storage Heating
- No Chain
- Competitively Priced

£94,950

St Pauls Mews, Rugeley

- A Two Bedroom End Town House
- Gas Central Heating
- Double Glazing
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- Kitchen
- Two Bedrooms
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- Kitchen
- Two Bedrooms
- Family Bathroom
- Gas Central Heating
- UPVC Double Glazing
- On Road Parking
- Front Garden

£77,000

Lion Street
Rugeley

- Front Lounge
- Rear Lounge
- Kitchen
- Three Double Bedrooms
- Family Bathroom
- Gas Central Heating
- UPVC Double Glazing
- Rear Garden
- On Road Parking

£85,000

Daywell Rise
Rugeley

- £250 paid towards the eventual purchasers legal fees (if applicable)
- Well Presented
- Lounge
- Dining Kitchen
- Three Bedrooms
- Family Bathroom
- UPVC Double Glazing
- Gas Central Heating
- Garage
- Front & Rear Gardens

£109,950

Hislop Road
Rugeley

- Lounge
- Kitchen
- Two Bedrooms
- Family Bathroom
- Gas Central Heating
- UPVC Double Glazing
- Secure Off Road Parking for 2 Vehicles
- Front & Rear Gardens

£110,000

Green Lane
Rugeley

- Well Presented
- Lounge
- Kitchen
- Three Bedrooms
- Family Bathroom
- Gas Central Heating
- UPVC Double Glazing
- Detached Single Garage
- Off Road Parking to Rear
- Front & Rear Gardens

£110,000

Ravenslea Road
Rugeley

- Imaculatley Presented
- Lounge/Diner
- Kitchen
- Three Bedrooms
- Family Bathroom
- Gas Central Heating
- UPVC Double Glazing
- Off Road Parking for 2 Vehicles
- Front & Rear Gardens

£124,950

Moss Green
Rugeley

- Extended Four Bedroom
- Semi Detached
- Lounge/Diner
- Utility Area
- Detached Single Garage
- Front & Rear Gardens
- New Electrics & Boiler
- Gas Central Heating
- UPVC Double Glazing
- Viewing Recommended

£127,000

Dayton Drive
Rugeley

- Lounge
- Kitchen
- Two Bedrooms
- Family Bathroom
- Gas Central Heating
- UPVC Double Glazing
- Single Garage
- Front & Rear Gardens

£142,500

Armitage Road
Rugeley

- Downstairs WC
- Lounge
- Diningroom
- Kitchen
- Three Bedrooms
- Double Garage
- Large Rear Garden
- Off Road Parking for 2 Vehicles
- UPVC Double Glazing
- Gas Central Heating

£144,950

Armitage Road
Rugeley

- Well Presented
- Lounge
- Dining Room
- Kitchen
- Three Bedrooms
- Family Bathroom
- Gas Central Heating
- UPVC Double Glazing
- Off Road Parking for 3 Vehicles
- Large Rear Garden

£149,950

Eaton Drive
Rugeley

- In New Condition
- Downstairs Cloakroom
- Utility
- Conservatory
- Second Floor Open Plan Lounge/Breakfast Kitchen
- 3-4 Bedrooms
- En-suite
- Family Bathroom
- UPVC Double Glazing
- Gas Central Heating
- Integral Garage

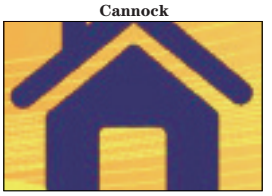
£149,950

Elizabethan Way
Rugeley

- Downstairs Cloakroom
- Lounge/Diner
- Kitchen
- Three Double Bedrooms
- En-suite
- Family Bathroom
- Gas Central Heating
- UPVC Double Glazing
- Single Detached Garage
- Front & Rear Gardens

£149,950

Old Fallow Road
Cannock



- Exciting Opportunity
- 1150sqm
- Outline Planning
- Permission for 6 Apartments

£150,000

Sharnbrook Drive
Rugeley

- Lounge
- Spacious Dining Room
- Kitchen
- Utility Area
- Downstairs WC/Shower Room
- Study
- Family Bathroom
- Five Bedrooms
- Gas Central Heating
- Single Garage
- Front & Rear Gardens

£159,950

Kelvedon Way
Rugeley

- Downstairs Cloakroom
- Lounge
- Dining Room
- Kitchen
- Conservatory
- Utility
- Three Bedrooms
- Family Bathroom
- Single Garage/Workshop
- Carport
- Front & Rear Gardens

£159,950

Leyland Drive
Rugeley

- Lounge
- Dining Room
- Extended Kitchen
- Three Bedrooms
- Family Bathroom
- Gas Central Heating
- UPVC Double Glazing
- Single Garage
- Off Road Parking
- Front Garden
- Large Rear Garden

£159,950

Farm Close
Rugeley

- Downstairs Cloakroom
- Study/Family Room
- Front Lounge
- Dining Room
- Kitchen
- Utility
- Three Double Bedrooms
- Family Bathroom
- Gas Central Heating
- UPVC Double Glazing
- Off Road Parking for 4 Vehicles
- Front & Rear Gardens

£220,000

Worcester Close
Rugeley

- Modern Four Bedroom Property
- Detached
- Dining Room
- Lounge
- Superb Breakfast Kitchen
- Conservatory
- Integral Garage
- 2 En-suites
- No Chain

£230,000

Wolseley Road
Rugeley

- Study
- Ground Floor WC
- Lounge
- Diningroom
- Conservatory Base
- Breakfast Kitchen
- Utility Room
- Family Bathroom
- Six Bedrooms
- Detached Double Garage
- Large Private Rear Garden

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A 5 BED GEORGIAN MANOR HOUSE

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- VIEWING ESSENTIAL MUST BE SEEN

£550,000

HOBBY WAY - HEATH HAYES
A 2 BED GROUND FLOOR APARTMENT

- THIS PROPERTY IS NEW TO MARKET
- MODERN STYLE OPEN PLAN LIVING
- IDEAL FIRST TIME BUY OR INVESTMENT

£119,000

LANGHOLM DRIVE - HEATH HAYES
A 3 BED SEMI DETACHED

- THIS PROPERTY IS NEW TO MARKET
- WELL MAINTAINED THROUGHOUT
- MUST BE VIEWED TO APPRECIATE

£149,950

SHARON WAY - HEDNESFORD
A 3 BED LINK DETACHED

- OFFERS GOOD VALUE FOR MONEY
- WELL PRESENTED THROUGHOUT
- VIEWING ESSENTIAL MUST BE SEEN

OFFERS OVER £134,950

BALMORAL COURT - CANNOCK
A 2 BED FIRST FLOOR FLAT

- 75% SHARED OWNERSHIP PROPERTY
- WOULD MAKE AN IDEAL FIRST TIME BUY
- MUST BE SEEN TO BE APPRECIATED

£75,000

CAVERSHAM MEWS - CANNOCK
A 3 BED SEMI DETACHED

- IMMACULATELY PRESENTED THROUGHOUT
- RECENTLY CONSTRUCTED MUST BE SEEN
- BENEFITS FROM NO UPWARD CHAIN

OFFERS OVER £145,000

EAGLE CLOSE - CHESLYN HAY
AN EXTENDED 4 BED DETACHED

- CORNER PLOT IN A CUL DE SAC LOCATION
- EXTENDED PROPERTY IDEAL FAMILY HOME
- VIEWING IS ESSENTIAL MUST BE SEEN

£189,950

FREMANTLE DRIVE - HEATH HAYES
A 3 BED END TERRACED

- RECENTLY DISCOUNTED IN PRICE
- SITUATED IN A CUL DE SAC LOCATION
- VENDOR HIGHLY MOTIVATED TO SELL

£129,950

CLIFTON AVENUE - CANNOCK
A 3 BED MID TERRACED

- RECENTLY DISCOUNTED IN PRICE
- BENEFITS FROM NO UPWARD CHAIN
- VENDOR HIGHLY MOTIVATED TO SELL

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LANGHOLM DRIVE - HEATH HAYES
A 3 BED LINK DETACHED

- EASY ACCESS TO FIVE WAYS SCHOOL
- GOOD VALUE FOR MONEY MUST BE SEEN
- LOCATED IN A POPULAR RESIDENTIAL AREA

MAKE ME AN OFFER

WESTON CLOSE - HEATH HAYES
A 4 BED DETACHED

- WELL MAINTAINED THROUGHOUT
- VENDOR HIGHLY MOTIVATED TO SELL
- VIEWING ESSENTIAL MUST BE SEEN

MAKE ME AN OFFER

REMBRANDT CLOSE - HEATH HAYES
A 2 BED MID TERRACED

- THIS PROPERTY IS NEW TO MARKET
- IMMACULATELY PRESENTED THROUGHOUT
- VIEWING ESSENTIAL MUST BE SEEN

OFFERS OVER £115,000

ST LAWRENCE DRIVE - HEATH HAYES
A 4 BED DETACHED

- GOOD VALUE DISCOUNTED BY £20,000
- AMPLE LIVING SPACE IDEAL FAMILY HOME
- MUST BE SEEN TO BE APPRECIATED

£189,999

TRAFALGAR COURT - WIMBLEBURY
A 2 BED GROUND FLOOR FLAT

- THIS PROPERTY IS NEW TO MARKET
- IDEAL FIRST TIME BUY OR INVESTMENT
- VIEWING IS ESSENTIAL TO APPRECIATE

£94,950

WOOTTONS COURT - CANNOCK
A 1 BED FIRST FLOOR FLAT

- WALKING DISTANCE TO CANNOCK TOWN
- MODERNISED THROUGHOUT MUST BE SEEN
- IDEAL FIRST TIME BUY OR INVESTMENT

£75,000

CARLTON CLOSE - HEATH HAYES
A 2 BED SEMI DETACHED

- CORNER PLOT IN A CUL DE SAC LOCATION
- WELL MAINTAINED THROUGHOUT
- GOOD VALUE FOR MONEY

£114,950

CROSS STREET - HEATH HAYES
A 1 BED BUNGALOW

- DISCOUNTED BY £15,000
- IN NEED OF MODERNISATION
- CORNER PLOT LOCATION

OFFERS OVER £80,000

STONEPINE CLOSE - HEDNESFORD
A 3 BED DETACHED

- VIEWING IS ESSENTIAL TO APPRECIATE
- PRICED TO SELL GOOD VALUE FOR MONEY
- IMMACULATELY PRESENTED THROUGHOUT

OFFERS OVER £160,000

KEATS AVENUE - CANNOCK
A 1 BED BUNGALOW

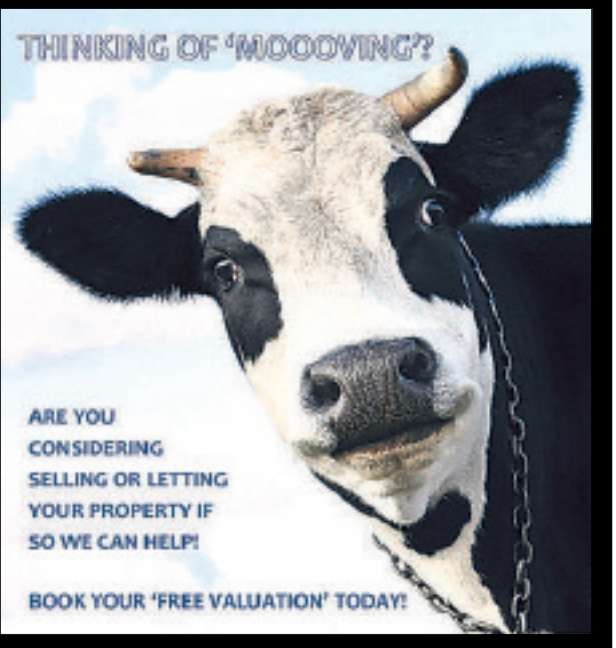
- THIS PROPERTY IS OFFERED FOR RENTAL
- TASTEFULLY PRESENTED THROUGHOUT
- SORRY NO DSS ACCEPTED

£450 PCM

BADGERS COURT - HEATH HAYES
A 2 BED FIRST FLOOR FLAT

- THIS PROPERTY IS OFFERED FOR RENTAL
- CLOSE TO LOCAL AMENITIES
- UNFURNISHED, SORRY NO DSS

£500 PCM



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- Landscaped Rear Garden
- Integral Garage & Off Road Parking

£249,950

Chenet Way, Cannock

- A Well Presented Four Bedroom Detached House
- Gas Central Heating, Double Glazing, Entrance Hall
- Lounge, Dining Room, Breakfast Kitchen, Guest WC
- Utility, P Shaped Conservatory
- Four Bedrooms, En-Suite, Family Bathroom
- Rear Garden
- Garage & driveway

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- A Beautifully Presented Three Bedroom Detached HOuse
- Gas Central Heating, Double Glazing, Entrance Porch, Hallway
- Two Reception Rooms, Re-Styled Fitted Kitchen
- Stunning P Shaped Conservatory with Under Floor Heating
- Three Bedrooms, En-Suite to Bed Three, Family Bathroom
- Well Maintained Rear Garden
- Good Sized Garage, Driveway
- No Upward Chain

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Lichfield Road, Cannock

- A Traditional Three Bedroom Detached House
- Gas Central Heating, Double Glazing
- Two Reception Rooms, Fitted Kitchen
- Full Width Conservatory
- Three Bedrooms, Re-Fitted Shower Room
- Well Maintained Rear Garden with Open Views
- Ample Off Road Parking
- No Upward Chain

£215,000

St. Francis Close, Rawnsley

- A Well Presented Four Bedroom Detached Family Residence
- Gas Central Heating, Double Glazing
- Lounge, Dining Room, Kitchen
- Sitting Room, Conservatory
- Four Bedrooms, En-Suite, Family Bathroom
- Enclosed Rear Garden
- Ample Off Road Parking to Fore

£209,950

Alton Grove, Cannock

- A Four Bedroom Detached Family Residence
- Gas Central Heating, Double Glazing
- Open Plan Lounge/Kitchen
- Four Bedrooms, Bathroom
- Rear Garden
- Detached Garage & Driveway
- No Upward Chain

£185,000

Chenet Way, Cannock

- A Well Presented Three Bedroom Detached House
- Gas Central Heating, Double Glazing
- Lounge, Dining Room
- Fitted Kitchen
- Three Bedrooms, En-Suite, Bathroom
- Rear garden
- Garage & Driveway
- No Upward Chain

£175,000

Chaplain Road, Heath Hayes

- A Three Bedroom Detached Dormer Bungalow
- Gas Central Heating, Double Glazing, Entrance Hallway
- Lounge, Dining Room, Kitchen
- Ground Floor Bedroom
- Two First Floor Bedrooms, Bathroom
- Enclosed Low Maintenance Rear Garden
- Single Garage & Driveway

£170,000

Manor Avenue, Cannock

- A Four Bedroom Semi Detached House
- Gas Central Heating, Majority Double Glazing
- Lounge, Dining Room, Kitchen/Diner
- Three Bedrooms, Family Bathroom
- Front & Rear Gardens
- Detached Garage

£159,950

Norton Springs, Norton Canes

- A Well Presented Three Bedroom Link Detached House
- Gas Central Heating, Double Glazing, Entrance Porch, Hallway
- Lounge, Breakfast Kitchen, Utility, Guest WC
- Three Bedrooms, Re-Fitted Bathroom
- Garage & Driveway

£157,500

Woodman Lane, Cheslyn Hay

- A Charming Three Bedroom Cottage
- Gas Central Heating, Entrance Porch
- Good Sized Lounge/Dining Room
- Sitting Room, Breakfast Kitchen
- Ground Floor Bathroom
- Three Bedrooms
- Rear Garden with Outbuildings
- Allocated Off Road Parking
- No Upward Chain

£142,500

Brindley Heath Road, Hednesford

- An Immaculately Presented Three Bedroom Semi Detached House
- Gas Central Heating, Double Glazing
- Two Reception Rooms, Breakfast Kitchen, Guest WC
- Three Bedrooms, Family Bathroom
- Well Maintained Rear Garden
- Off Road Parking to Front
- Aspect to Front of Cannock Chase

£132,500

Berry Hill Hednesford

- A Recently Refurbished Two Bedroom Semi Detached House
- Gas Central Heating, Double Glazing
- Lounge, Fitted Kitchen
- Two Bedrooms, Re-Fitted Bathroom
- Enclosed Rear Garden
- Front Garden & Off Road Parking
- No Upward Chain

£115,000

The Brambles, Norton Canes

- A Modern Two Bedroom Semi Detached House
- Gas Central Heating, Double Glazing
- Lounge/Diner, Fitted Kitchen
- Two Bedrooms, Fitted Bathroom
- Good Sized Rear Garden
- Off Road Parking

£118,000

Belt Road, Hednesford

- A Double Fronted Three Bedroom Detached House
- Gas Central Heating, Double Glazing
- Lounge/Diner, Sitting/Dining Room
- Kitchen Kitchen, Ground Floor Bathroom
- Good Sized Rear Garden
- Ideal First Time Buy/Investment Purchase

£109,950

Lilac Avenue, Cannock

- A Well Presented Two Bedroom Semi Detached House
- Gas Central Heating, Entrance Hallway
- Lounge, Dining Kitchen
- Two Bedrooms, Bathroom With Separate Shower
- Rear Garden
- Off Road Parking

£105,000

High Mount Street, Hednesford

- A Traditional Two Bedroom Semi Detached House
- Gas Central Heating, Double Glazing
- Two Reception Rooms, Fitted Kitchen
- Two Bedrooms, Bathroom with Separate Shower Cubicle
- Rear Garden with Open Aspect
- Off Road Parking
- No Upward Chain

£99,950

Broad Street, Bridgtown

- A Well Presented Two Bedroom MidTerrace House
- Economy 7 Heating, Partial Double Glazing
- Lounge, Fitted Dining Kitchen
- Two Bedrooms, Bathroom
- Rear Garden
- Off Road Parking to Rear

£90,000

Adam Court, Cannock

- A Two Bedroom First Floor Flat
- Gas Central Heating, Double Glazing
- Lounge, Kitchen
- Two Bedrooms, Bathroom
- Communal Gardens
- Sought After Location

£89,950

Park Street, Bridgtown

- A Two Bedroom Mid Terrace House
- Gas Central Heating, Double Glazing
- Two Reception Rooms, Fitted Kitchen
- Two Bedrooms, Bathroom
- Rear Garden
- In Need of Certain Cosmetic Improvement
- No Upward Chain

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- Four Bedrooms, Bathroom
- Front & Rear Gardens
- Off Road Parking
- Sorry No DSS or Smokers
- Available 18th May 2011

£850pcm

Peregrine Way, Heath Hayes

- A Modern Three Bedroom Semi Detached House
- Gas Central Heating, Double Glazing
- Lounge, Kitchen/Diner, Guest WC
- Three Bedrooms, En-Suite, Bathroom
- Good Sized Rear Garden
- Garage & Parking
- Sorry No Pets, Smoker or DSS
- Available 31st May 2011

£695 pcm

Sandy Lane, Cannock

- A Delightful Two Bedroom Semi Detached Cottage
- Lounge, Dining Room, Fitted Kitchen
- Utility, Guest WC
- Two Bedrooms, Bathroom
- Useful Loft Space
- Rear Garden
- Sorry No Pets, Smokers or DSS
- Available Now

£695 pcm

Old Fallow Road, Cannock

- A Three Bedroom Detached House
- Gas Central Heating, Double Glazing
- Two Reception Room,s Breakfast Kitchen, Utility
- Three Bedrooms, En-Suite, Family Bathroom
- Large Rear Garden
- Garage & Driveway
- Sorry No Pets, Smokers or DSS
- Available 1st July 2011

£675 pcm

Eskrett Street, Hednesford

- A Two Bedroom Detached House
- Gas Central Heating, Double Glazing
- Lounge, Kitchen
- Two Bedrooms, Bathroom
- Front & Rear Gardens
- Garage (Currently Used as Storage), Driveway
- Avaialble 24th May 2011

£650pcm

Deavall Way, Heath Hayes

- A Well Presented Three Bedroom Semi Detached House
- Gas Central Heating, Double Glazing
- Lounge, Kitchen with Some Appliances
- Three Bedrooms, En-Suite, Family Bathroom
- Rear Garden
- Garage & Parking
- Sorry No Smokers or DSS
- Available 27 April 2011

£595pcm

Muldoon Close, High Town

- A Two Bedroom Semi Detached Bungalow
- Gas Central Heating, Double Glazing
- Lounge, Kitchen
- Two Bedrooms, Bathroom
- Front & Rear Gardens
- Sorry No Smokers or DSS
- Available 24 April 2011

£550pcm

Chalfont Avenue, Cannock

- A Three Bedroom Mid Terrace House
- Modern Re-Fitted Kitchen, Lounge
- Three Bedrooms, Bathroom
- Garage & Driveway
- Enclosed Rear Garden
- Sorry No DSS
- Available Now

£550 pcm

Hall Lane, Great Wyrley

- A Well Presented Three Bedroom End Terrace House
- Gas Central Heating, Double Glazing
- Lounge, Kitchen/Diner, Utility
- Three Bedrooms, Shower Room
- Enclosed Rear Garden
- Off Road Parking
- Sorry No Pets, Smokers or DSS
- Available 26th May 2011

£550 pcm

Swallowfield Drive, Hednesford

- A Two Bedroom Semi Detached Bungalow
- Gas Central Heating, Double Glazing, Entrance Hall
- Lounge, Re-Fitted Kitchen
- Two Bedrooms, Re-Fitted Bathroom
- Front & Rear Gardens
- Driveway
- Sorry No Pets, Smokers or DSS
- Available Now

£525 pcm

Avon Road, Cannock

- A Well presented Two Bedroom Semi Detached House
- Gas Central Heating, Entrance Hallway
- Lounge, Kitchen, Utility
- Two Bedrooms, Bathroom
- Well Maintained Rear Garden
- Off Road Parking
- Sorry No Pets, Smokers or DSS
- Available Now

£500 pcm

Stafford Road, Cannock

- A Two Bedroom Mid Terrace House
- Lounge, Kitchen
- Two Bedrooms, bathroom
- Enclosed Rear Garden
- Children, Pets, Sokers and DSS Welcome
- Available Immediately

£495 pcm

Cannock Road, Cannock

- A Two Bedroom Mid Terrace House
- Lounge, Re-Fitted Kitchen, Guest WC
- Two Bedrooms, Bathroom
- Rear Garden
- Off Road Parking to Rear
- Available 2th April 2011

£495pcm

Primrose Meadow, Heath Hayes

- A Recently Redecorated Two Bedroom Semi Detached House
- Electric Heating, Double Glazing
- Lounge, Kitchen
- Two Bedrooms, Bathroom
- Rear Garden
- Off Road Parking
- Sorry No Pets, Smokers or DSS
- Available Now

£495 pcm

Chapel Street, Heath Hayes

- A Two Bedroom Semi Detached house
- Gas Central Heating, Double Glazing
- Lounge, Kitchen with Some Appliances
- Two Bedrooms, Bathroom
- Off Road Parking
- Sorry No Pets, Smokers or DSS
- Available 29 March 2011

£475pcm

Victoria Terrace, Bridgtown

- A Two Bedroom Second Floor Apartment
- Lounge, Kitchen with Cooker and Fridge Freezer
- Two Bedrooms, Bathroom
- Secure Allocated Parking
- No DSS, Pets or Smokers
- Available 26th May 2011

£465 pcm

Sandpiper, Hednesford

- A Well Presented Two Bedroom Semi Detached House
- Double Glazing, Entrance Hallway
- Lounge, Re-Fitted Dining Kitchen
- Two Bedrooms, Bathroom
- Rear Garden
- Off Road Parking
- Sorry No Pets, Smokers or DSS
- Available 17 April 2011

£450 pcm

Cannock Road, Cannock

- A Two Bedroom End Terrace House
- Gas Central Heating, Double Glazing
- Lounge, Dining Room, Kitchen
- Two Bedrooms, Bathroom
- Rear Garden
- Available Now

£450 pcm

Stephenson Way, Hednesford

- A Well Presented Two Bedroom First Floor Apartment
- Gas Central Heating, Double Glazing
- Lounge, Kitchen
- Two Bedrooms, Bathroom with Shower
- Allocated Parking
- Sorry No Pets, Smokers or DSS
- Available Now

£425pcm

Trafalgar Court, Cannock

- A Two Bedroom Ground Foor Flat
- Electric Heating
- Lounge, Kitchen
- Two bedrooms, Bathroom
- Off Road Parking
- Sorry No Pets, Smokers or DSS
- Availabe 13th June 2011

£395 pcm

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HEDNESFORD
BURGOYNE STREET

- Unfurnished modern town house
- Porch, hallway
- Lounge, kitchen
- Two bedrooms
- Bathroom
- Heating
- Garage
- Garden

£450 pcm Sorry No DSS

HEATH HAYES
HODSON WAY

- Modern unfurnished property
- Hallway, lounge
- Fitted kitchen
- Two bedrooms
- Bathroom
- Heating
- Parking
- Garden

£450 pcm Sorry No DSS

HEDNESFORD
TRENT HOUSE

- Unfurnished first floor flat
- Kitchen, lounge
- Two bedrooms
- Bathroom
- Gas central heating
- Parking

£395 pcm Sorry No DSS

HEATH HAYES
PICASSO CLOSE

- Unfurnished first floor flat
- Lounge
- Fitted kitchen
- One bedroom
- Bathroom
- Heating
- Allocated parking

£350 pcm Sorry No DSS

CANNOCK
HAMPTON STREET

- Unfurnished older style semi
- Refurbished
- Hallway, lounge, breakfast kitchen
- Guest wc, 3 bedrooms, bathroom
- Gas central heating, double glazing
- Gardens and parking

£570 pcm Sorry No DSS

HEDNESFORD
LITTLEWORTH ROAD

- Unfurnished traditional terraced property
- Hall, Lounge/Diner, Fitted Kitchen
- 2 Bedrooms, Bathroom, Gas Central Heating
- Double Glazing, Rear Garden, Garage

£495 pcm Sorry No DSS

CANNOCK
WOOTTONS COURT

- Unfurnished flat
- Hallway, lounge, fitted kitchen
- 1 Bedroom, bathroom, heating
- Parking

£395 pcm Sorry No DSS

HEDNESFORD
LONGACRES

- Unfurnished first floor flat
- Lounge, kitchen, 1 bedroom
- Bathroom, heating, double glazing
- Garage

£350 pcm Sorry No DSS

CANNOCK
CHALFONT COURT

- Unfurnished first floor apartment
- Hallway, lounge
- Fitted kitchen with appliances
- Two bedrooms, bathroom
- Gas central heating
- Double glazing
- Parking

£450 pcm Sorry No DSS

BROOMHILL
VICTORIA STREET

- Unfurnished semi detached
- Refurbished property
- Hallway, lounge
- Fitted kitchen
- Two bedrooms, bathroom
- Gas central heating
- Garden, parking

£450 pcm Sorry No DSS

HEATH HAYES
APPLE WALK

- Unfurnished one bedroom flat
- Communal entrance
- Hallway, lounge
- Fitted kitchen
- Bathroom
- Separate wc
- Heating, parking
- Double glazing

£375 pcm Sorry No DSS

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CHETWYND PARK

- Unfurnished semi detached property
- Hallway, lounge
- Guest wc, sun room conservatory
- Fitted kitchen
- Three bedrooms, bathroom
- Gas central heating
- Double glazing
- Parking, garden

£595 pcm Sorry No DSS

CHESLYN HAY
COPPICE CLOSE

- Unfurnished semi detached
- Hall, lounge
- Fitted kitchen
- Conservatory
- Three bedrooms, bathroom
- Gas central heating
- Double glazing
- Garage, garden

£675 pcm Sorry No DSS

HEATH HAYES
HEATH WAY

- Unfurnished flat
- Hallway
- Lounge
- Fitted kitchen
- Two bedrooms
- Bathroom
- Heating
- Parking

£395 pcm Sorry No DSS

HEDNESFORD
TRAFALGAR COURT

- Refurbished first floor flat
- Hall, lounge
- Fitted kitchen
- Two bedrooms
- Bathroom
- Heating
- Allocated parking

£400 pcm Sorry No DSS

HEATH HAYES
ST JOHNS HOUSE, CANNOCK ROAD

- Unfurnished ground floor apartment
- Lounge
- Kitchen
- Two bedrooms
- Bathroom
- Double glazed
- Gas central heating
- Allocated parking

£450 pcm Sorry No DSS

HEATH HAYES
SAM BARBER COURT

- Furnished or unfurnished
- First floor flat
- Own access
- Two bedrooms
- Bathroom
- Double glazing
- Heating
- Kitchen, lounge

£425 pcm Sorry No DSS

HEATH HAYES
CAPERCAILLIE DRIVE

- Unfurnished modern three storey property
- Hallway with cloaks off
- Lounge, utility
- Fitted kitchen with appliances
- Four bedrooms, en-suite off master
- Bathroom
- Gas central heating
- Double glazing
- Parking, garden
- Garage

£700 pcm Sorry No DSS

CANNOCK
THE RIDINGS

- Unfurnished modern end town house
- Hallway, guest wc, fitted kitchen
- Lounge/diner, 3 bedrooms, en suite shower room off bed 1
- Bathroom, gas central heating double glazing
- Garage and garden

£650 pcm Sorry No DSS

HEATH HAYES
LANCASTER HOUSE

- Unfurnished first floor flat
- Lounge
- Kitchen
- One bedroom
- Bathroom
- Heating
- Allocated parking

£395 pcm Sorry No DSS

CANNOCK
BROOK VALE

- Unfurnished town house
- Porch, hall, lounge, fitted kitchen
- 3 bedrooms, bathroom
- Gas central heating
- Garden, allocated parking

£525 pcm Sorry No DSS

HEDNESFORD
LITTLEWORTH ROAD

- Unfurnished traditional semi detached
- Lounge, kitchen
- Dining room
- Two bedrooms, bathroom
- Gas central heating
- Double glazing
- Parking, garden

£475 pcm Sorry No DSS

HEDNESFORD
CASA MIA COURT

- Unfurnished ground floor flat
- Lounge
- Kitchen
- One bedroom
- Bathroom
- Heating
- Double glazed
- Parking

£370 pcm Sorry No DSS

WIMBLEBURY
ARTHUR STREET

- Unfurnished first floor flat
- Hall, lounge
- Kitchen
- One bedroom
- Bathroom
- Gas central heating
- Double glazing

£395 pcm Sorry No DSS

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HEATH HAYES
CHARTERFIELD DRIVE

- Unfurnished semi-detached
- Hallway, Lounge, Breakfast Kitchen
- Conservatory, 2 bedrooms, Bathroom
- Gas Central Heating, Double Glazing
- Parking and Garden

£525 pcm Sorry No DSS

HEDNESFORD
ST STEPHENS COURT

- Unfurnished flats
- Communal entrance
- One and two bedrooms
- Lounge
- Kitchen
- Heating
- Parking

£350 and £395 pcm Sorry No DSS

CANNOCK
OLD PENKRIDGE MEWS

- Unfurnished first floor apartment
- Protected access
- Lounge, kitchen
- Two bedrooms
- Bathroom, Gas central heating
- Parking

£400 pcm Sorry No DSS

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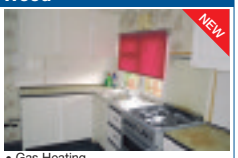


- Double Unit Park Home
- Lounge / Diner
- Kitchen
- Inner Lobby
- Shower Room
- Two Bedrooms

- Gas Heating
- Single Glazed Windows
- Allocated Parking and Gardens
- For People Over the age of 55
- Some Works Needed

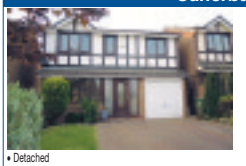
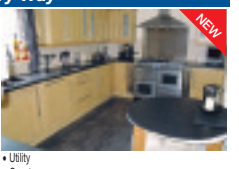
£50,000

HEDNESFORD Cedar Close

- Semi Detached
- Entrance Hallway
- Lounge
- Kitchen
- 3 Bedrooms
- Shower Room
- GCH, DG
- Garage & Driveway

£128,950

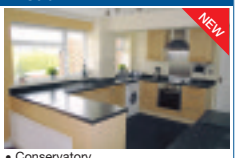
HEATH HAYES Canerbury Way

- Detached
- Improved & Extended
- GCH, DG
- Reception Hall, Lounge
- Dining Room, Breakfast Kitchen
- Conservatory
- Utility
- Guest w.c.
- Four Bedrooms
- Refitted Shower Room
- Bathroom
- Fore & Rear Gardens

£225,000

WIMBLEBURY Knighton Road

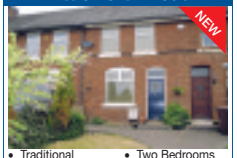


- Link Detached
- Entrance Hallway
- Lounge/Diner
- Kitchen
- Three Bedrooms
- Shower Room

- Conservatory
- GCH, DG
- Fore & Rear Gardens
- Garage & Driveway

£165,000

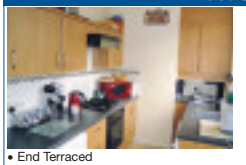
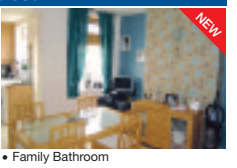
HEDNESFORD Littleworth Road



- Traditional Terraced
- GCH, DG
- Lounge
- Dining Room
- Kitchen
- Two Bedrooms
- Guest Cloaks
- Bathroom
- Fore & Rear Gardens
- Off Road Parking

£114,995

CANNOCK East Street

- End Terraced
- Traditional
- Fitted Kitchen
- Lounge
- Dining Room
- Two Bedrooms

- Family Bathroom
- Gas Central Heating
- Double Glazing
- Rear Garden, Off Road Parking
- NO CHAIN

£99,995

HEDNESFORD Station Road

- Semi Detached
- Porch
- Lounge
- Dining Room
- Fitted Kitchen
- Three Bedrooms
- Family Bathroom
- En-Suite
- GCH, DG
- Fore & Rear Gardens
- Driveway & Converted Garage

£130,000

HUNTINGTON Cavans Wood

- Double Unit Park Home
- Entrance Porch
- Lounge/Diner
- Kitchen
- Two Bedrooms
- Inner Lobby
- Bathroom
- GCH, D G
- Allocated Parking
- Garden Area

£75,000

HEDNESFORD Sandpiper Close

- Semi Detached
- Entrance Hallway
- Lounge
- Breakfast Kitchen
- Two Bedrooms
- Family Bathroom
- Economy 7 Heating / DG
- Rear Garden
- Off Road Parking

£105,000

CANNOCK Shelley Road

- Detached Bungalow
- Lounge
- Kitchen
- Two Bedrooms
- Bathroom
- GCH, DG
- Single Garage
- Driveway
- Rear Garden

£144,995

CHESLYN HAY Bridge Avenue

- Semi Detached
- Entrance Hallway
- Lounge & Family Room
- Utility & Kitchen
- Dining Area
- Conservatory
- Shower Room & Bathroom
- Four Bedrooms
- GCH, DG
- Rear Garden & Driveway

£169,995

HEDNESFORD Winsor Avenue

- Detached Bungalow
- Entrance Hallway
- Lounge Diner
- Kitchen
- Bathroom
- Two Bedrooms
- GCH, D G
- Fore and Rear Gardens
- Driveway
- SOLICITORS FEES & STAMP DUTY PAID BY VENDOR

£169,995

CANNOCK Brunswick Road

- First Floor Apartment
- Entrance Hallway
- Lounge
- Kitchen
- Bathroom
- Bedroom
- G C H
- Rear Garden
- Allocated Parking

£69,000

CANNOCK Keats Avenue

- Detached Dormer Bungalow
- Entrance Hallway
- Lounge
- Kitchen
- Utility
- Wet Room
- Three Bedrooms
- GCH, DG
- Fore & Rear Gardens
- Driveway
- Available to Rent £550

£130,000

HUNTINGTON Willow Walk

- Semi Detached
- GCH
- DG
- Hallway
- Lounge
- Kitchen
- Utility
- Three Bedrooms
- Bathroom
- Fore & Rear Gardens
- Off Road Parking

£109,995

HEDNESFORD Belt Road

- Detached
- Front Room
- Dining Room
- Kitchen
- Family Bathroom
- Three Bedrooms
- GCH
- Double Glazing
- Driveway
- Garage, Rear Garden
- PART EXCHANGE CONSIDERED

£150,000

CANNOCK Wolverhampton Road

- Mid Town House
- Breakfast Kitchen
- Lounge
- Cellar
- Two Bedrooms
- Bathroom
- GCH / Double Glazing
- Rear Garden
- Off Road Parking

£119,995

CHESLYN HAY Cleves Crescent

- Detached
- Lounge / Dining Room
- Family Room
- Kitchen & Utility
- Guest Cloaks
- Family Bathroom
- En-Suite, GCH
- Four Double Bedrooms
- Fore & Rear Gardens
- Double Garage & Driveway

£289,995

HUNTINGTON Cavans Wood

- Single Unit Park Home
- Lounge
- Kitchen
- Two Bedrooms
- Bathroom
- GCH / DG
- Allocated Parking
- Gardens
- Suitable for People over 55 years of age

£69,995

BRIDGTOWN Cross Street

- Semi Detached
- Converted to Two Flats Comprising Of:-
- Lounge
- Kitchen
- Bathroom
- Two Bedrooms
- GCH, DG
- Off Road Parking To Rear
- SOLD AS ONE PROPERTY

£194,995

CANNOCK Hednesford Street

- Semi Detached
- Entrance Porch
- Lounge
- Kitchen & Utility
- Downstairs WC
- Three Bedrooms
- Family Bathroom
- GCH / D G
- Garage & Driveway
- Rear Garden

£169,995

HAWKS GREEN The Firs

- Double Unit Park Home
- 5 Years Old
- Kitchen
- Inner Hallway
- Lounge
- Two Bedrooms
- Bathroom
- Gardens To Sides
- Ample Off Road Parking
- GCH, DG
- Ideal For Semi/Retired Persons

£76,000

HUNTINGTON Grately Croft

- Detached Property
- Entrance Hallway
- Lounge
- Breakfast Kitchen
- Conservatory
- Three Bedrooms
- Shower Room
- GCH / D G
- Driveway
- Front & Rear Gardens

£155,000

TO LET Keats Avenue, Cannock

- Semi Detached Dormer Bungalow
- Hallway
- Lounge
- Kitchen & Utility
- Three Bedrooms
- Wet Room
- G C H / D G
- Fore & Rear Gardens
- Converted Garage
- Driveway

£550.00 pcm

CANNOCK Brunswick Road

- First Floor Flat
- Living Room
- Kitchen
- Bedroom
- Bathroom
- GCH
- Double Glazing
- Allocated Parking
- Garden

£87,500

HEDNESFORD Cobden Close

- Semi Detached Bungalow
- Hallway
- Lounge
- Kitchen
- Conservatory
- Bedroom
- Bathroom
- G C H / D G
- Block Paved Frontage
- Rear Garden

£89,995

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HEDNESFORD
Lakelands Court
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- Guest Cloakroom ● Breakfast Kitchen
- Lounge diner ● En-Suite ● Underfloor Heating
- Double Glazing ● Sorry No DHSS

£1100 Pcm

WALSALL WOOD
Vigo Terrace
- Spacious 4 Bed Detached House with garage
- Guest Cloakroom ● Lounge ● Dining Room
- Utility ● En-Suite ● Front & Rear gardens
- Off Road Parking ● Sorry No DHSS

£800 Pcm

CHASETOWN
Elmhurst Drive
- Extended 4 Bed Detached House
- 2 Reception Rooms
- Kitchen ● Conservatory
- Multiple Off Road Parking
- Double Glazing
- Gas Central Heating
- Sorry No DHSS

£750 Pcm

BROWNHILLS
Narrow Lane
- 3 Bed semi with Garage & Off Road Parking
- Lounge Diner ● Kitchen ● En -Suite
- Family Bathroom ● Front & Rear Gardens
- Double Glazing & Central Heating ● Sorry No DHSS

£625 Pcm

PELSALL
Old Mill House Close
- 2 Bed Apartment with Off Road Parking
- Kitchen with Appliances ● En-Suite
- Electric Heating ● Double Glazing
- Sorry No DHSS

£625 Pcm

GREAT WYRLEY
Walsall Road
- 3 Bed semi with Summer House
- Lounge ● Dining Room ● Extended Breakfast Kitchen
- Bathroom ● Large Rear Garden ● Off Road Parking
- SORRY NO DHSS.

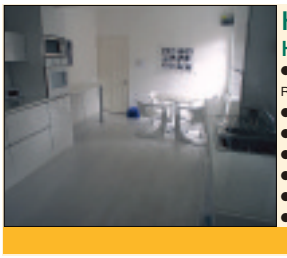
£595 Pcm

CLAYHANGER
High Street
- Fully modernised 3 Bed Semi
- Lounge Diner ● Kitchen ● Bathroom
- Gas Central Heating & Double Glazing
- Rear garden ● Sorry No DHSS

£550 Pcm

ALDRIDGE
The Briars
- 2 Bed 3rd Floor Apartment
- Lounge ● Kitchen ● En-Suite ● Bathroom
- Double Glazing & Gas Central Heating
- Allocated & Visitor Parking
- Sorry No DHSS

£550 PCM



HEATH HAYES
Hednesford Road
- Spacious 3 Bed House with Rear Garden
- Lounge ● Kitchen Diner
- 3 Double Bedrooms
- Bathroom ● Double Glazing
- Gas Central Heating
- Off Road Parking
- Sorry No DHSS

£550 Pcm

GREAT WYRLEY
Shaws Lane
- 2 Bed Detached Bungalow wih Garage
- Lounge ● Fitted Kitchen
- Conservatory
- Loft Room ● Off Road Parking
- Gas Central Heating
- Double Glazing
- Sorry No DHSS

£550 Pcm

BROWNHILLS
Blithfield Road
- 2 Bed Semi with Front & Rear Gardens
- Lounge ● Kitchen ● Bathroom
- Gas Central Heating & Double Glazing
- Multiple Off Road Parking
- Sorry No DHSS

£525 Pcm

ALDRIDGE
The Briars
- 2 Bed First Floor Apartment
- Living Room ● Kitchen ● Bathroom
- Gas Central Heating & Double Glazing
- Allocated & Visitor Parking
- Sorry No DHSS

£525 Pcm

HEATH HAYES
HOBBY WAY
- 2 Bed Ground Floor Apartment
- Lounge ● Kitchen with integrated appliances
- Double Glazing & Electric Heating
- Off Road Parking & Communal Gardens ● Sorry No DHSS

£500 PCM

NORTON CANES
St James Place
- 2 Bed Apartment with Off Road Parking
- Open plan living room into Kitchen
- Integrated appliances in Kitchen
- Double Glazing ● Electric Heating
- Sorry No DHSS

£500 Pcm

BROWNHILLS
LAPWING CLOSE
- 2 Bed Ground Floor Apartment
- Double Glazing & Electric Heating
- Bathroom
- Kitchen ● Lounge ● Allocated Parking
- Sorry NO DHSS

£495 PCM

WALSALL WOOD
Greenside Court
- 2 Bed Apartment
- Living Room ● Kitchen ● Bathroom
- Double Glazing ● Gas Central Heating
- Allocated parking ● Sorry No DHSS

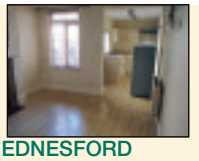
£495 Pcm

HEDNESFORD
Woodlands Court
- 2 Bed Apartment
- Lounge ● Kitchen
- Bathroom
- Electric Heating & Double Glazing
- Off Road Parking
- Sorry No DHSS

£495 Pcm

HEATH HAYES
PHEASANT WAY
- 2 bed second Floor Apartment
- Electric heating & Double glazing
- Living Room ●Kitchen ●Bathroom
- Allocated Parking to the Rear
- Sorry No DHSS

£475 PCM



HEDNESFORD
HEATH STREET
- 2 bed end terrace
- Dining room ● Lounge ● Kitchen
- Double Glazing & gas Central Heating
- Rear Garden ● Sorry No DHSS

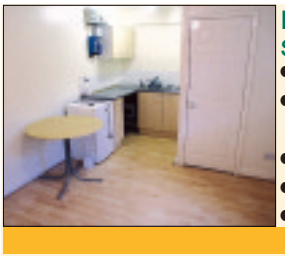
£450 PCM

HEATH HAYES
Apple Walk
- 2 Bed First Floor Apartment
- Economy 7 Heating ● Lounge
- Kitchen ● Bathroom ● Allocated Parking
- Sorry No DHSS

£395 Pcm

HEATH HAYES
Hednesford Road
- 1 Bedroom Ground Floor & 1st Floor Flats
- Electric heating & Majority Double Glazing.
- Lounge ● Kitchen ● Shower room
- Off Road Parking ● SORRY NO DHSS.

From £300 Pcm



HEDNESFORD
Station Road
- 1 Bed Ground Floor Flat
- Open Plan Lounge Kitchen
- Shower Room
- Double Glazing
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BURNTWOOD

★ A Very Well Presented Detached
★ Lounge, Dining Room
★ Study, Kitchen
★ Utility, Bathroom
★ Two En-Suites
★ Double Garage, Off Road Parking

£339,950

BRAMWELL DRIVE CHESLYN HAY

★ A Spacious and Well Presented Detached Family Home
★Study, Lounge, Dining Room
★ Kitchen Diner
★ Utility Room, Guest WC
★ Four Double Bedrooms, En-Suite
★ Family Bathroom
★ Double Garage, Off Road Parking

£338,000

CRANMER CLOSE
CHESLYN HAY

★ Four bedroom detached
★ Guest Cloakroom
★ Dining Room, Study
★ Utility Room
★ Refitted En-Suite
★ Detached Double Garage

Excess of £320,000

LITTLEWORTH ROAD
HEDNESFORD

★ Detached Bungalow
★ Dining Room,
★ Utility Room, Kitchen
★ Three Bedrooms
★ En-Suite
★ Garage
★ Off Road Parking

£289,950

BEAUMONT WAY
NORTON CANES

★ Four bed detached
★ Guest WC, Study
★ Lounge, Dining Room
★ Breakfast Kitchen
★ Utility Room
★ En-Suite
★ Family Bathroom
★ Double Detached Garage

£274,950

LONGFORD ROAD
CANNOCK

★ A well presented and extended traditional detached property
★ Through lounge, dining room
★ Kitchen
★ Three bedrooms and family bathroom
★ Multiple off road parking, garage
★ Front and rear gardens.

£270,000

BLITHFIELD PLACE
HEATH HAYES

★ Four bedroom detached
★ Guest WC, Study
★ Lounge, Dining Room
★ Breakfast Kitchen
★ Utility Room
★ En-Suite
★ Double Detached Garage

£249,950

BEAUMONT WAY
NORTON CANES

★ A Well Presented Detached Home
★ Guest Cloakroom, Study
★ Lounge, Dining Room
★ Breakfast Kitchen, Utility Room
★ Four Bedrooms, En-Suite
★ Double Detached Garage

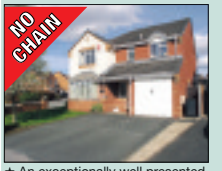
£245,000

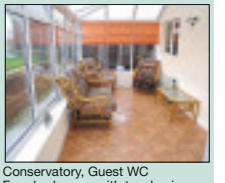
TRENTHAM CLOSE
HEATH HAYES

★ Four bedroom extended detached
★ Lounge, Dining Room
★ Conservatory
★ Kitchen
★ Utility Room
★ En-Suite
★ Front & Rear Garden

£224,950

STAG DRIVE Cannock





★ An exceptionally well presented detached
★ Lounge, dining room
★ Kitchen/diner
★ Conservatory, Guest WC
★ Four bedrooms with two having en-suite
★ Multiple off road parking, garage

£220,000

CANNOCK ROAD
Hednesford

★ Ideal investment opportunity
★ Doctors surgery downstairs
★ Large Two Bedroom Flat
upstairs flat
★ Possible conversion of upto 6 flats
★ Subject to planning permission.

£200,000

WOODPIGEON DRIVE
HEATH HAYES

★ An exceptionally well presented detached property
★ lounge, dining room
★ kitchen, guest WC
★ Four bedrooms with master having en-suite shower room
★ Family bathroom
★ Off road parking and garage

£190,000

NUTHATCH CLOSE HEATH HAYES

★ Four bed Town house
★ Guest WC
★ Kitchen Diner
★ Lounge, Conservatory
★ En-Suite, Family Bathroom
★ Garage, Off Road Parking

£184,950

FRANKLYN DRIVE
BURNTWOOD

★ Three Bed detached
★ Lounge, Dining Room
★ Guest W.C
★ Kitchen
★ Bathroom
★ Garage
★ Front & Rear Gardens

£179,950

THISTLE DRIVE
Huntington

★ An exceptionally well presented modern town house
★ Lounge, kitchen/diner, guest WC
★ Three bedrooms with master having En-Suite
★ Further family bathroom
★ Central heating, double glazing
★ Off road parking, garage
★ Front and rear gardens.

£170,000

HODNET PLACE
HEATH HAYES

★ A Well Presented Detached Property
★ Loung, Dining Room
★ Conservatory, Guest WC
★ Kitchen, Utility Room
★ Three Bedrooms, Family Bathroom
★ Garage

£167,950

FAIR OAKS DRIVE
GREAT WYRLEY

★ A well presented two bedroom semi detached bungalow
★ Kitchen, Lounge Diner
★ Two Bedrooms,
Bathroom
★ Front & Rear Garden
★ Block Paved Driveway
★ Central Heating and Double Glazing

£164,950

HOLLY GROVE Chase Terrace

★Semi detached property
★Lounge, kitchen, guest WC
★Three bedrooms and family bath-room
★Central heating, double glazing
★Multiple off road parking, garage
★Front and rear gardens

£155,995

FORGE CLOSE
CHURCHBRIDGE

★ Three bedroom semi detached
★ Gas central heating, UPVC Double glazing
★ Guest WC, Kitchen
★ Living Room
★ Family Bathroom,
★ Rear Garden, Off Road Parking

EXCESS OF £147,950

CHASEWATER WAY
NORTON CANES

★ Three bed link detached
★ Lounge, Dining Room
★ Kitchen
★ Bathroom
★ Garage
★ Off Road Parking

£140,000

LONGACRES
HEDNESFORD

★ A well presented three bedroom semi detcahed family home
★ Lounge, Breakfast Kitchen
★ Utility Area,
Conservatory
★ Three Bedrooms, Family Bathroom
★ Garage, Off Road Parking

£139,950

FALCON CLOSE
CHESLYN HAY

★ Three bed semi detached
★ Lounge
★ Kitchen Diner
★ Utility Room
★ Family Bathroom
★ Garage
★ Off Road Parking

£134,995

WEST HILL AVENUE
Hednesford

★ A very well presented and recently refurbished traditional semi detached property
★ Two reception rooms
★ Kitchen, utility room
★ Guest WC
★ Two bedrooms and luxury family bathroom
★ Central heating, double glazing
★ Front and rear gardens.

£125,000

NORTON EAST ROAD
NORTON CANES

★ Extended Two bed cottage style semi
★ Two reception rooms
★ Extended kitchen/diner
★ Downstairs bathroom
★ Master en-suite WC
★ Off Road Parking, Rear Garden

£119,995

NORFOLK GROVE Great Whrley

★End terraced
★Lounge, kitchen, conservatory
★Three bedrooms & family bathroom.
★Central heating, double glazing
★Multiple off road parking and rear garden

£110,000

GREEN HEATH ROAD
HEDNESFORD

★ Detached 2 reception rooms
★ Kitchen and utility room
★ 3 bedrooms
★ Rear garden
★ Planning permission for parking
★ Needs modernisation

£99,950

STRATFORD WAY
Cannock

★ 5% Deposit paid
★ A well presented first floor flat
★ Gas central heating and double glazing
★ Living Room, Kitchen
★ One Bedroom, Bathroom
★ NO CHAIN

£59,950

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GOWLAND DRIVE, CANNOCK

A well presented three bedroomed detached house situated in the sought after location of Shoal Hill, comprising; entrance hall, lounge/diner, kitchen/diner, re-fitted guest wc, three bedrooms, en-suite and bathroom. Benefiting from gas central heating, double glazing, front and rear gardens, garage and driveway.

£249,950

POOL MEADOW, CHESLYN HAY

A four bedroom detached family residence situated in a popular residential area, comprising: reception hall, family lounge, dining room, kitchen/diner, utility, guest wc, four bedrooms, en-suite and family bathroom. Benefiting from gas central heating, double glazing front and rear gardens, double garage and driveway.

£299,950 No Chain

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CHENET WAY, CANNOCK

A very well presented three bedroom detached house, comprising; entrance hall, lounge/diner, re-fitted kitchen, guest wc, conservatory, three bedrooms, re-fitted en-suite and bathroom. Benefiting from gas central heating, double glazing, front and rear gardens, garage and driveway.

£194,950

BURLEIGH CLOSE, HEDNESFORD

A four bedroom detached house comprising; Entrance hall, lounge, dining room, kitchen, utility, guest wc, four bedrooms, en-suite and bathroom. Benefiting from gas central heating, front and rear gardens, garage and driveway.

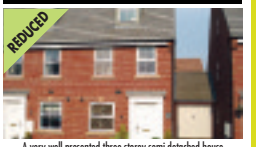
£180,000 No Chain

NORTON LANE, GREAT WYRLEY

A traditional three bed semi detached house, comprising; Entrance porch, entrance hall, lounge/diner, kitchen, utility, three bedrooms and shower room. Benefiting from gas central heating, majority double glazing, front and rear gardens, garage and driveway.

£135,000 No Chain

THISTLE DRIVE, HUNTINGTON



A very well presented three storey semi detached house comprising; lounge, kitchen/diner, guest wc, three bedrooms, en-suite and bathroom. Benefiting from gas central heating, double glazing, front and rear gardens, garage and driveway.

£164,995

ALBANY DRIVE, WIMBLEBURY

A very well presented executive four bedroom detached house situated on a corner plot. The accommodation comprises; Entrance hall, guest wc, family lounge, dining room, kitchen/diner, utility, study, four bedrooms, master having re-fitted en-suite and family bathroom. Benefitting from gas central heating, double glazing, front and rear gardens, double detached garage and driveway.

OIEO £300,00

VALLEY GREEN, CHESLYN HAY

A very well presented semi detached house comprising; lounge/diner, dining room/sitting room, re-fitted modern kitchen, coservtatory, three bedrooms, bathroom and re-fitted en-suite. Benefiting from gas central heating, double glazing, rear garden & driveway.

£149,995 No Chain

WARDLES LANE, GREAT WYRLEY

This well presented and extended semi detached house comprises; lounge, dining room/sitting room, re-fitted kitchen, re-fitted guet wc and shower room, three double bedrooms and modern re-fitted bathroom. With gas central heating, double glazing, gardens, driveway and garage.

OIRO £169,950

BROMLEY CLOSE, HEDNESFORD

Situated on a popular development, this very well presented end town house comprises; lounge, re-fitted kitchen/diner, three bedrooms, en suite and bathroom. With gas central heating, double glazing, gardens and driveway.

£125,000

FAIRMOUNT DRIVE, CANNOCK

A very well presented two bedroom detached bungalow. The accommodation comprises; lounge, dining room, re-fitted kitchen, utility, two bedrooms, re-fitted bathroom, gardens, garage & driveway.

£163,000

LINCOLN DRIVE, CANNOCK

A very well presented one bedroom first floor flat. The accommodation comprises; Entrance hall, lounge, re-fitted kitchen, one bedroom and re-fitted bathroom. Benefiting from gas central heating, double glazing and rear garden.

£69,950

ELDER CLOSE, CANNOCK

A well presented two bedroom semi detached house. The accommodation comprises; Entrance hall, lounge, re-fitted kitchen/diner, two bedrooms and bathroom. Benefiting from double glazing, front & rear gardens and driveway.

£124,995

DEVON ROAD, CANNOCK

This first floor flat comprises; entrance hall, lounge, kitchen, one bedroom and bathroom. With electric heating and rear garden.

£69,995 No Chain

VIEW STREET, HEDNESFORD

A well presented semi detached house comprising; entrance hallway, lounge, kitchen/diner, storage room, three bedrooms and modern re-fitted bathroom. Further benefiting from gas central heating, double glazing and gardens. No Chain

OIRO £109,950 No Chain

STRATHMORE PLACE, CANNOCK

A very well presented three bedroom semi detached dormer bungalow situated on a corner plot. The accommodation comprises; Entrance porch, entrance hall, L shaped lounge/diner, kitchen/diner, side porch, three bedrooms and bathroom. Benefiting from gas central heating, double glazing, front and rear gardens, garage and driveway.

OIRO £190,000

BUTTERCUP CLOSE, HUNTINGTON

A very well presented executive detached house situated on a corner plot. The accommodation comprises; through hall, lounge, dining room, kitchen/diner, utility, study, guest wc, four bedrooms, two en-suites and family bathroom. Benefiting from gas central heating, double glazing, front and rear gardens, off road parking and double detached garage.

£310,000 No Chain

GREENHEATH ROAD, HEDNESFORD

A well presented and improved detatched bungalow comprising; lounge, breakfast kitchen, two double bedrooms, bathroom, GCH, DG, driveway, garage & gardens. No Chain. Part Exchange Considered.

£159,950 No Chain

DARTMOUTH MEWS, CANNOCK

A well presented modern ground floor apartment comprising; open plan lounge/kitchen, one bedroom and modern bathroom. Benefiting from under floor heating, double glazing, intercom entry system, secure parking with gated access and communal gardens.

OIEO £89,950

EAGLE GROVE, HEATH HAYES

This well presented and improved detached house comprises; entrance hall, lounge, re-fitted kitchen/diner, re-fitted utility & guest wc, conservatory, four bedrooms, master having re-fitted en-suite and re-fitted family bathroom. With gas central heating, double glazing, rear garden, garage and ample driveway.

OIEO £209,950

BROAD STREET, BRIDGTOWN

A well presented two bedroom end terrace house. The accommodation comprises; Lounge, kitchen, utility, two bedrooms and ground floor re-fitted bathroom. Benefiting from electric storage heating, double glazing and rear garden.

£94,950 No Chain

FOXES RAKE, CANNOCK

A very well presented two bedroom semi detached house. The accommodation comprises; Entrance hall, lounge, kitchen, conservatory, two bedrooms and re-fitted bathroom. Benefiting from gas central heating, double glazing, front and rear gardens, drive and garage.

£124,995

MANDERLEY HOUSE, SANDY LANE, SHOALHILL

An executive ground floor apartment situated in a sought after location. The accommodation comprises; entrance hall, open plan lounge & kitchen, modern fitted bathroom, two bedrooms - master bedroom with ensuite, gas central heating, double glazing, parking with security gated access & communal gardens.

£169,950 No Upward Chain

NUTHATCH CLOSE, HEATH HAYES

A superbly presented three storey detached house situated on a popular residential development, comprising; entrance hall, guest wc, study, lounge, dining room, kitchen/diner, three bedrooms, en-suite & family bathroom. With GCH, DG, front & rear gardens, garage & off road parking.

£225,000

LONGCROFT, HUNTINGTON

A well presented semi detached house situated on a corner plot, the accommodation comprises; lounge, re-fitted breakfast kitchen, veranda, three bedrooms and bathroom. Benefiting from gas central heating, majority double glazing, front & rear gardens, garage and driveway.

£110,000 No Chain

HUNTER ROAD, CANNOCK

A well presented three bedroom flat. The accommodation comprises; Entrance hall, lounge/diner, kitchen, guest wc, three bedrooms and bathroom. Benefiting from gas central heating and communal gardens.

£84,950

ASCOT DRIVE, CANNOCK

This very well presented and much improved two bedroom semi detached house comprises; entrance hall, lounge, re-fitted breakfast kitchen, utility, two double bedrooms, bathroom, GCH, DG, driveway, front and rear gardens. No Chain

£115,000

CAVERSHAM MEWS, BRIDGTOWN

A very well presented modern three bedroom semi detached house. The accommodation comprises; Entrance hall, guest wc, lounge, kitchen/diner, three bedrooms and bathroom. Benefiting from gas central heating, double glazing, front and rear gardens, driveway and garage.

£148,000

BROOKLANDS AVENUE, GREAT WYRLEY

A well presented and extended semi detached house comprising; lounge, kitchen, conservatory, three bedrooms, en-suite and bathroom. Benefiting from gas central heating, double glazing, front and rear gardens, driveway and garage.

£134,950 No Chain

MARIGOLD CLOSE, HEATH HAYES

A very well presented four bedroom detached house. The accommodation comprises; Entrance hall, lounge, dining room, modern re-fitted breakfast kitchen, guest wc, conservatory, four bedrooms, modern re-fitted en-suite and family bathroom. Benefiting from gas central heating, double glazing, front and rear gardens, driveway and garage.

£224,950

OLD PENKRIDGE ROAD, CANNOCK

A well presented end terraced house situated in a sought after location. The accommodation comprises; lounge, dining room, kitchen, three bedrooms and bathroom. Benefiting from gas central heating, majority double glazing and gardens.

£169,950

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BELT ROAD, HEDNESFORD

A well presented two bedroom end terrace house. The accommodation comprises; Lounge, dining room, kitchen, two bedrooms and re-fitted bathroom. Benefiting from gas central heating, double glazing and rear garden.

£99,995

ADELAIDE DRIVE, WIMBLBURY

A very well presented four bedroom detached house situated on a corner plot. The accommodation comprises; Entrance hall, lounge, dining room, kitchen/diner, study, guest wc, utility, conservatory, four bedrooms, master having en-suite and family bathroom. Benefitting from gas central heating, double glazing, front and rear gardens, double garage and driveway.

£250,000

BRAEMAR ROAD, NORTON CANES

A well presented detached house. The accommodation comprises; lounge & dining room, kitchen/diner, guest wc, four bedrooms, master having en-suite, bathroom, gas central heating & double glazing, front & rear gardens, garage & driveway.

£177,950 No Chain

SAREDON HALL FARM, GREAT SAREDON

A beautifully presented grade 2 listed farm house comprising; reception hall, guest wc, lounge, re-fitted breakfast-kitchen, cellar, master bedroom with modern en-suite, two further bedrooms, modern bathroom, GCH, driveway, gardens & open views. Planning permission for single storey side extension.

OIEO £375,000

WARD STREET, HEDNESFORD

A well presented detached house comprising; entrance hall, open plan lounge/dining area, kitchen, study/playroom, three bedrooms and bathroom. Benefiting from gas central heating, double glazing, rear garden, off road parking and garage.

OIRO £124,995

PENKRIDGE COURT, CANNOCK

A very well presented ground floor apartment situated in a popular location close to Cannock town centre. The accommodation comprises; communal entrance with intercom system, hallway, lounge diner, fitted kitchen, one double bedroom, bathroom, gas central heating, double glazing & allocated parking.

£104,950

EDISON CLOSE, HEDNESFORD

A semi detached house situated on a corner plot. The accommodation comprises; lounge, dining area, re-fitted kitchen, three bedrooms and bathroom. Benefiting from gas central heating, double glazing, gardens, garage and driveway.

£120,000

STAFFORD LANE, HEDNESFORD

A semi detached house located in a popular residential area, comprising; entrance hall, lounge, breakfast kitchen, conervatory, three bedrooms and bathroom. With gas central heating, double glazing, front & rear gardens, driveway and garage.

£129,995

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ST MARYS CLOSE, SHARESHILL

A very well presented and improved semi detached bungalow situated in the sought after area of Shareshill. The accommodation comprises; entrance hall, lounge, kitchen-diner, study, double ground floor bedroom, modern re-fitted ground floor bathroom, two first floor bedrooms, re-fitted first floor shower room, gas central heating & double glazing, driveway, garage & gardens.

£169,500

HILL STREET, HEDNESFORD

A detached house in need of some improvement comprising; lounge, dining room, kitchen, five bedrooms, en-suite and bathroom. Benefiting from part gas central heating, part double glazing, front and rear gardens, driveway, garage and carport.

£185,000 No Chain

SHIREHALL PLACE, HEATH HAYES

A very well presented detached house situated on a popular residential development. The accommodation comprises; entrance hall, lounge, dining room, re-fitted kitchen, utility, guest wc, conservatory, four bedrooms, master having re-fitted en-suite and family bathroom. Benefiting from gas central heating, double glazing, cavity wall insulation, rear garden, driveway and garage.

£212,000

LANGDALE DRIVE, CANNOCK

A well presented semi datched bungalow comprising lounge, kitchen, two double bedrooms and shower room. With gas central heating, double glazing, block paved driveway, garage and gardens.

£127,000 No Chain

HUNTER ROAD, CANNOCK

A well presented and much improved semi detached house comprising; lounge, re-fitted kitchen/diner, L shaped conservatory, three bedrooms and re-fitted bathroom. Benefiting from gas central heating, double glazing and front & rear gardens.

Offers over £115,000

NEWHORSE ROAD, CHESLYN HAY

An extended semi detached house house. The accommodation comprises; entrance hall, lounge/diner, kitchen, guest wc, utility room, four/five bedrooms, bathroom, gas central heating and double glazing, With tandem garage, driveway and gardens.

£170,000

LITTLEWORTH ROAD, HEDNESFORD

A well presented three bedroom detached house. The accommodation comprises; Entrance hall, lounge/diner, kitchen, utility, guest wc, three bedrooms, re-fitted family bathroom, front and rear gardens, garage and driveway.

£188,000

STAFFORD STREET, HEATH HAYES

Ths very well presented semi detached house comprises; open plan lounge/dining area, re-fitted kitchen, three bedrooms and luxury re-fitted bathroom. With gas central heating, double glazing, driveway and enclosed rear garden.

£119,950

WRENS CROFT, HEATH HAYES

A very well presented semi detached house situated on a popular residential development. The accommodation comprises; entrance hall, guest wc, lounge, modern fitted kitchen, two bedrooms and modern fitted bathroom. Benefiting from gas central heating, double glazing, front and rear gardens and allocated parking.

£134,950

ANSTY DRIVE, HEATH HAYES

A very well presented four bedroom semi detached house. The accommodation comprises; Entrance hall, lounge, re-fitted kitchen/diner, utility, guest wc, four bedrooms, bathroom and separate shower room. Benefiting from gas central heating, double glazing, rear garden, garage and driveway.

£170,000

WALSALL ROAD, CANNOCK

A well presented three bedroom semi detached house comprising; lounge, dining room, re-fitted kitchen, three bedrooms and re-fitted shower room. Benefiting from gas central heating, double glazing, off road parking and front and rear gardens.

£124,950

JOHN STREET, CANNOCK

A well presented semi detached house. The accommodation comprises; lounge, kitchen/diner, three bedrooms, re-fitted bathroom, gas central heating, double glazing, garage, off road parking & carport, front & rear gardens.

£142,000

HIGH STREET, CHASE TOWN

A two bedroomed semi detached house comprising, lounge, kitchen, guest wc, two bedrooms and bathroom. With electric heating, double glazing and off road parking.

£495 pcm Sorry No DSS

NELSON DRIVE, WIMBLEBURY

A two bedroomed end town house.

£450 pcm Sorry No DSS

HEDNESFORD ROAD, CANNOCK

A three bedroomed terraced house ideally situated for Cannock town centre.

£495 pcm Sorry No DSS

JUBILEE STREET, RUGELEY

A three bedroomed semi detached house.

£475 pcm Sorry No DSS

LAKELANDS COURT, VALLEY ROAD, HEDNESFORD

An immaculately presented three storey town house.

£1100 pcm Sorry No DSS

WELLINGTON DRIVE, CANNOCK

This semi detached house comprises; lounge, kitchen/diner, utility, four bedrooms, and bathroom. Benefiting from gas central heating, double glazing, garden to rear, garage, carport and off road parking. COUNCIL TAX BAND A.

£675 pcm Sorry No DSS

CECIL STREET, CHADSMOOR

This mid terraced house comprises; lounge/diner, kitchen, utility areas, two bedrooms and bathroom. With double glazing, gas central heating, parking and rear garden.

£425 pcm Sorry No DSS

PRINCESS STREET, CHADSMOOR

This first floor flat comprises; lounge, kitchen, one bedroom and shower room. With gas central heating, double glazing, gardens and off road parking.

£350 pcm 1st Month Rent Free Sorry No DSS

APPLE WALK, HEATH HAYES

This ground floor flat comprising; lounge, kitchen, one bedroom and bathroom. Benefiting from electric heating, double glazing and allocated parking.

£365 pcm Sorry No DSS

HUNTINGTON TERRACE ROAD, CANNOCK

This semi detached house comprises; lounge, dining room, kitchen, three bedrooms and bathroom. Further benefiting from gas cental heating, double glazing and rear garden.

£425 pcm Sorry No DSS

APPLE WALK, HEATH HAYES

This end town house comprises; lounge, kitchen, two bedrooms, and bathroom. Benefiting from gas central heating, double glazing, front garden and allocated parking.

£450 pcm Sorry No DSS

LONGACRES, HEDNESFORD

This well presented first floor flat comprises; lounge, kitchen, one bedroom and bathroom. Benefiting from gas central heating, double glazing, garage and off road parking.

£350 pcm Sorry No DSS

YEW TREE CLOSE, NORTON CANES

A two/three bedroom semi detached bungalow, comprising; Lounge, kitchen/diner, two bedrooms, study/bedroom three and wet room. Benefiting from gas central heating, majority double glazed, front & rear gardens and driveway.

£475 pcm Sorry No DSS

WESTON CLOSE, HEATH HAYES

This detached house comprises; lounge, dining room, kitchen, utility room, guest wc, conservatory, three bedrooms and bathroom. Benefiting from gas central heating, double glazing, gardens, garage and driveway. MINIMUM 12 MONTH LET

£650 pcm Sorry No DSS

MARQUIS COURT, CHASE TOWN

A two bedroomed ground floor flat.

£495 pcm DSS Considered

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WALSALL ROAD, CANNOCK

A three bedroom first floor flat, ideally situated for Cannock town centre.

£550 pcm Sorry No DSS

GREENSLADE GROVE, HEDNESFORD

A one bedroom ground floor flat. ★★★ 1ST MONTH RENT FREE ★★★

£365 pcm Sorry No DSS

FERNLEIGH AVENUE, BURNTWOOD

A two bedroomed first floor flat.

£450 pcm DSS Considered

MARKET STREET, HEDNESFORD

This first floor flat comprises; lounge, kitchen/diner, two/three bedrooms and bathroom. Benefiting from gas central heating, double glazing and parking.

£400 pcm Sorry No DSS

THE OLD MILL, RUGELEY

This apartment comprises; lounge, kitchen, two bedrooms and bathroom. With electric heating, double glazing and off road parking.

£475 pcm Sorry No DSS

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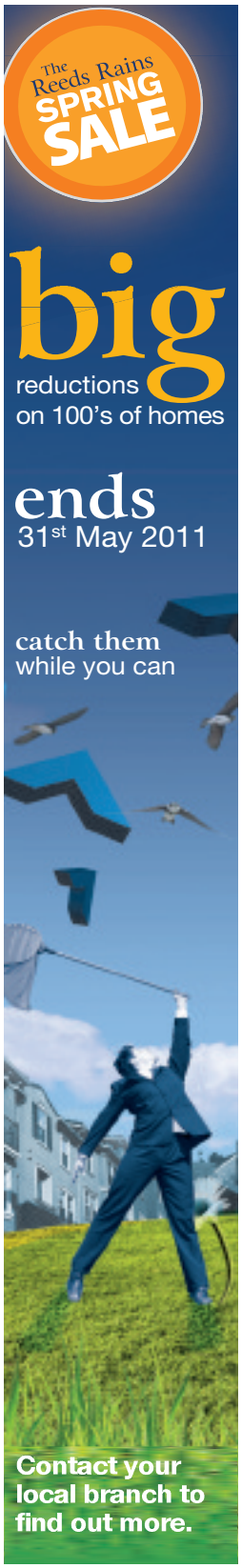


St Johns Road, Cannock

New

£69,500

An End Terrace Property Situated Within Close Proximity to Cannock Town Centre and All Local Amenities. In Brief the Accommodation Comprises Lounge, Kitchen/Diner, Two Bedrooms, Loft Room and Bathroom. The Property Also Benefits from Gas Central Heating (not tested) and Double Glazing. There is an Enclosed Rear Garden. Ideal Investment or First Time Buy. No Upward Chain.

Wimblebury Road, Wimblebury

New

£124,950

- Modern Well Presented Semi Detached House
- On Corner Plot in Popular Location
- Lounge, Kitchen/Diner, Cloakroom/WC
- Three Bedrooms and Bathroom
- Front/Rear Gardens, Parking No Chain

Stafford Road, Huntington

New

From £175,995

- Beautiful Village Location of Huntington
- On the Western Edge of Cannock Chase
- Stunning Collection of 3 & 4 Bedroom New Build Houses
- Includes Allocated Parking or Garage
- Part Exchange & Easy Mover Scheme's Available

Sparrowhawk Way, Heath Hayes

New

£157,500

- Very Well Presented Modern Semi Detached House
- Lounge, Kitchen/Diner, Cloakroom/WC
- Recently Built Conservatory
- Three Bedrooms, En-suite and Bathroom
- Rear Garden, Garage and Drive

Apple Walk, Heath Hayes

£68,000

- Well Presented Ground Floor Flat
- Situated In Popular Residential Area
- Lounge and Re-fitted Kitchen
- Bedroom and Re-fitted Shower Room
- Finished to a High Standard, No Chain

Meadowbank Grange, Great Wyrley

New

£227,500

- Superb Detached Home in Cul-de-Sac Location
- Lounge, Dining Room, Kitchen
- Cloakroom/WC, Sitting Room, Conservatory
- Three Bedrooms, En-suite and Bathroom
- Rear Garden MUST BE VIEWED

Kenilworth Court, Mill Street

£74,950

- Well Presented First Floor Flat In Popular Location
- Close to Cannock Town Centre & Railway Station
- Lounge, Kitchen, Double Bedroom
- Re-fitted Shower Room, Communal Garden
- Allocated Parking, No Upward Chain.

Adam Court, Cannock

99,950

- Well Presented Second Floor Apartment
- Close to Cannock Town Centre
- Lounge, Kitchen, Bathroom & 2 Bedrooms
- Gas Central Heating and Double Glazing
- Communal Parking & Security Intercom

Rawnsley Road, Hednesford

£104,950

- Well Presented End Terrace House
- Lounge, Dining Room, Kitchen
- Two Bedrooms and Bathroom
- Large Rear Garden
- Parking and Detached Garage

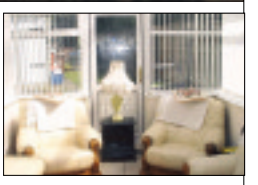
Glen Close, Cannock

£109,950

- Well Presented Semi Detached House
- Hall, Fitted Kitchen, Lounge, Study
- Three Bedrooms and Shower Room
- Front and Rear Gardens with Store
- Gas Central Heating System

Snowdon Road, Cannock

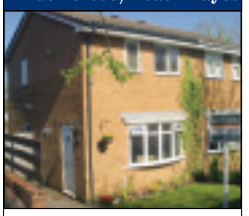
New



£99,950

A Well Presented Semi Detached House Offering Spacious Accommodation Comprising Entrance Porch, Hall, Lounge, Dining Room Kitchen, Conservatory, Three Bedrooms and Bathroom. Front and Rear Gardens, Shared Driveway with Own Parking to the Rear and Detached Garage. The Property Also Benefits from Gas Central Heating. No Upward Chain.

Elder Close, Heath Hayes



£118,500

- Well Presented Semi Detached House
- Cul-de-Sac Location in Popular Area
- Lounge, Dining Kitchen
- Two Bedrooms and Bathroom
- Driveway for Off Road Parking

WANTED

Two/Three bed Houses In Heath Hayes and Hednesford Areas.

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Lichen Close, Huntington

£120,000

- Well Presented Three Bedroom House
- Hall, Lounge and Dining Kitchen
- Bathroom Driveway to Front & Side
- Carport to Side and Garden to Rear
- Gas Central Heating, Double Glazing

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Trent Road, Cannock

New Price

OIEO £90,000

A Semi Detached House Located Within Close Proximity to All Local Amenities. In Brief the Accommodation Comprises Entrance Porch, Hall, Lounge, Kitchen, Utility Area, Three Bedrooms and Bathroom. To The Rear there is a Large Garden and to the Front Block Paved Drive Providing Ample Off Road Parking. The Property Also Benefits from Having Gas Central Heating and Double Glazing.

Huntington Terrace Road, Cannock

Reduced

£85,000

- SPRING SALE PPEVIOUS ASKING PRICE £90,000
- Well Presented End Terrace House
- Lounge, Dining Room, Kitchen
- Two Bedrooms and Bathroom
- Rear Garden and Off Road Parking

Stafford Road, Huntington

Reduced

£95,000

- SPRING SALE PPEVIOUS ASKING PRICE £99,950
- Well Presented End Terrace House
- Lounge, Dining Room, Kitchen
- Two Bedrooms and Bathroom
- Rear Garden and Off Road Parking

Hednesford Road, Cannock

Reduced

£120,000

- SPRING SALE PPEVIOUS ASKING PRICE £129,950
- Rennovated End Terrace Property Close to Town
- Lounge, Dining Room and Re-fitted Kitchen
- Two Bedrooms, Loft Room and Bathroom
- Large Rear Garden & Off Road Parking

Wood Lane, Wedges Mills

Reduced

£219,950

- SPRING SALE PPEVIOUS ASKING PRICE £229,950
- Well Presented Detached Family Home
- Lounge, Dining Room, Kitchen, WC
- Three Bedrooms and Bathroom
- Large Front and Rear Gardens & Garage

Pendle Hill, Hednesford

Reduced

£235,000

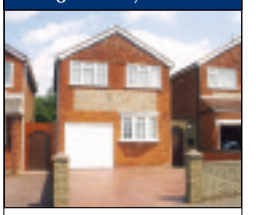
- SPRING SALE PPEVIOUS ASKING PRICE £245,000
- Detached Bungalow in Popular Location
- Lounge, Dining Room, Kitchen, W/C
- Three Bedrooms, Bathroom, Rear Garden
- Large Frontage, Oversized Garage

Hill Street, Hednesford

£129,950

- Spacious & Well Presented Semi Detached House
- Located in Popular Residential Area
- Lounge/Dining Room, Kitchen & Sun Room
- Three Bedrooms & Bathroom
- Detached Garage and Off Road Parking

George Street, Hednesford



OIEO £150,000

- Good Size Detached House
- Lounge/Diner, Kitchen
- Three Bedrooms and Bathroom
- Double Glazing & Gas Central Heating
- Good Size Rear Garden, Garage & Driveway

Cherry Brook, Norton Canes

£159,950

- Modern Three Bedroom Detached
- Situated in Cul-de-sac Location
- Lounge & L Shaped Kitchen/Diner
- En-suite to Master Bedroom
- Driveway to Rear

Nuthatch Close, Heath Hayes

£164,950

- A Superbly Presented Modern Link Detached House
- Situated In Fabulous Position in Cul-de-Sac Location
- Entrance Hall, Cloakroom/WC, Lounge, Kitchen,
- Three Good Size Bedrooms, En-suite,Family Bathroom.
- Well Maintained Garden, Off Road Parking, Detached Garage.

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Two/Three bed Houses In Heath Hayes and Hednesford Areas.

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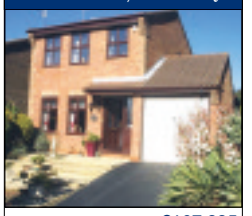
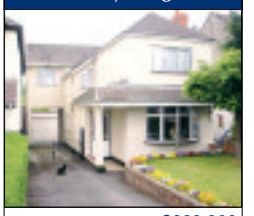
Hodnet Place, Heath Hayes



£167,995

- Well Presented Detached Property
- Offering Generous Accommodation
- Three Bedrooms and Shower Room
- Landscaped and Private Rear Garden
- Viewing Essential to Appreciate

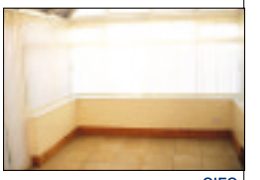
Wood Lane, Wedges Mills



£220,000

- Well Presented Good Sized Detached House
- Situated in Sought after Location Overlooking Fields
- Lounge, Dining Room and Fitted Kitchen
- Four Bedrooms and Bathroom
- Driveway and Oversized Detached Garage

Meadowsweet Way, Cannock



OIEO
£210,000

A Detached Family Home Situated on Corner Plot in Popular Location With Open Aspect to the Front. Offering Well Presented Accommodation Comprising Entrance Hall, Lounge, Kitchen, Dining Room, Conservatory, Utility Room, Downstairs WC, Four Bedrooms, En-suite Shower Room to the Master Bedroom and Family Bathroom. To the Rear there is a Garden and Detached Garage. The Property Also Benefits From Having Gas Central Heating, Double Glazing Front Garden and Driveway Providing Off Road Parking. Must Be Viewed to Appreciate Location and Accommodation On Offer. No Upward Chain.

Greenheath Road, Hednesford

£229,950

- Very Well Presented Detached Family Home
- Lounge, Dining Room, Kitchen, Study, Cellar
- Four Double Bedrooms and Bathroom
- Master Bedroom with En-suite
- Large Rear Garden with Outbuilding
- MUST BE VIEWED

Western Road, Hednesford

£229,950

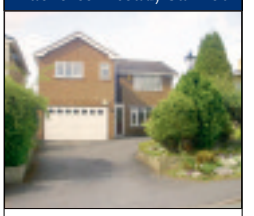
- Impressive Detached Family Home
- Lounge, Dining Room, Kitchen, Conservatory
- Office/Study, Five Bedrooms, En-suite off Master Bedroom
- Jack and Jill Style Shower Room off Bedroom Four and Five
- Family Bathroom, Front and Rear Gardens, Tarmac Driveway

The Old Kings Arms Cottage, Hednesford

£299,950

- Imposing Double Fronted Link Detached Property
- With Character and Charm In Cul-de-Sac Location
- Lounge, Kitchen, Conservatory, Study, Snug/Potential Bedroom 4
- Sitting Room/Bedroom 5, Three Bedrooms on First Floor and Bathroom
- Off Road Parking, Rear Garden with Secure Gated Parking and Car Port

Hatherton Road, Cannock



£329,950

- Attractive Spacious Detached House
- Hall, Lounge, Dining Room, Kitchen
- Utility, Cloak.WC, Five Bedrooms
- Bathroom, En Suite Shower, Gardens
- Garden Room, Double Glazing

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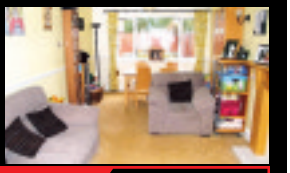
The Croft, Cheslyn Hay

£155,000 NEW

- A Modern Detached Family Home
- Three Bedrooms
- Dining Kitchen
- Conservatory
- Study Area
- Family Bathroom Suite

Norton Grange, Norton Canes



£125,000 NEW PRICE

- A Well Presented Three Bedroom Semi
- Double Glazing And Central Heating (Where Specified)
- Spacious Lounge/Diner
- Breakfast Kitchen
- Refitted Bathroom Suite
- Rear Garden

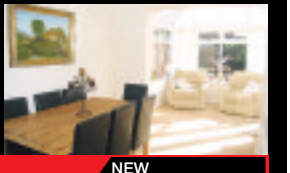
WANTED

MR T IS LOOKING FOR A PROPERTY IN THE HEATH HAYES AREA. HE WOULD LIKE A TWO BEDROOM PROPERTY.

CAN YOU HELP?

PLEASE CALL LESLEY ON 01543 503678

Chalcot Drive, Hednesford



£160,000 NEW

- Very Well Presented Family Home
- Three Bedrooms
- Lounge/Diner
- Conservatory
- Re-Fitted Kitchen
- Re-fitted Family Bathroom Suite
- Garage, Block Paved Driveway

Bridge Avenue, Great Wyrley

OIRO £125,000

- A Semi Detached Property
- Four Bedrooms
- Lounge, Dining Room
- Dining Kitchen
- Upstairs Family Bathroom
- Rear Garden, Garage, Driveway

Cemetry Road, Cannock

£170,000 NEW

- Two bedroom Detached Bungalow
- Garage and Off Road Parking
- Extended Kitchen Diner
- Conservatory
- No Upward Chain
- Viewing Essential

Sandy Lane, Shoal Hill

Offers over £190,000

- A Well Appointed First Floor Apartment
- Two Bedrooms Master En Suite
- Open Plan Lounge Kitchen
- Balcony & Communal Gardens
- Secure Gated Parking
- Central Heating & Double Glazing

Lilac Avenue, Cannock

Offers over £95,000

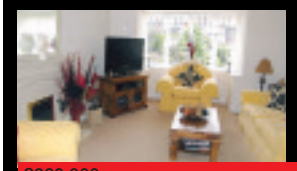
- Three Bedroom Semi Detached Property
- Lounge & Refitted Dining Kitchen
- Downstairs Bathroom
- Rear Garden
- Driveway Providing Off Road Parking

Andover Place, Cannock

Offers Over £80,000

- Three Bed End Terrace
- Study
- Breakfast Kitchen
- Lounge/Diner
- Enclosed Mature Rear Garden
- First Floor Bathroom

Green Meadows, Heath Hayes



£220,000 NEW

- A Well Presented Family Home
- Corner Plot, Double Garage
- Two Reception Rooms
- En-suite Shower Room
- Re-fitted Family Bathroom
- Four Bedrooms

WANTED

CAN YOU HELP?

MISS B IS LOOKING FOR A PROPERTY WITH ACCESS TO CANNOCK CHASE. SHE IS SOLD AND IS WAITING TO BUY.

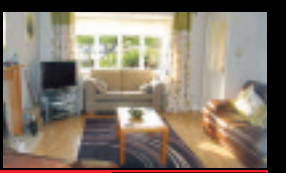
CALL LESLEY ON 01543 503678

Hednesford Road, Heath Hayes

Offers over £110,000 NEW PRICE

- Three Bedroom Semi Detached
- Porch, lounge, Dining Area
- Kitchen, Utility Area, Ground Floor Shower
- Master Bedroom with En-Suite
- Enclosed Rear Garden and Driveway

Lloyd George Grove, Heath Hayes



Offers over £200,000 NEW

- Very Well Presented Family Home
- Four Bedrooms
- Two Reception Rooms
- Fitted Dining Kitchen
- En-suite Shower Room
- Family Bathroom Suite

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St Patrick Close, Hednesford

Offers over £140,000 NEW PRICE

- A Detached Property
- Three Bedrooms
- Modern Fitted Kitchen
- Lounge
- Double Glazing & Central Heating

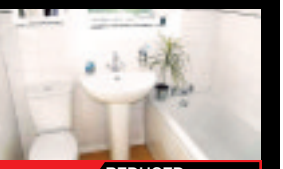
Burntwood Road, Norton Canes

offers over £130,000

- No Chain
- Immaculate Condition, Internal Viewing Is Essential
- A Three Bedroom End Terrace
- Lounge, Dining Room
- Fitted Kitchen, Guest w.c
- Refitted Upstairs Family Bathroom

Primrose Meadow, Heath Hayes

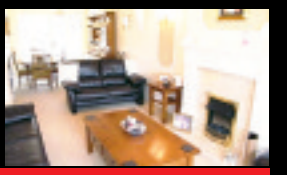
OPEN HOUSE SATURDAY 28TH MAY 11.00-12.00PM



Offers over £120,000 REDUCED

- Ideal First Time Purchase
- Three Bedrooms
- Dining Kitchen
- Family Bathroom Suite
- Enclosed Rear Garden
- Double Glazing And Central Heating

Hill Street, Hednesford



Offers Over £225,000

- Four double bedrooms
- Three with fitted wardrobes
- Ensuite shower room and five piece family bathroom
- Lounge, diner and sun room
- Utility room and guest cloakroom
- Landscaped rear garden
- Integral garage and ample parking

WANTED

MISS H IS LOOKING FOR A ONE OR TWO BEDROOM APARTMENT IN THE CANNOCK TOWN CENTRE LOCATION.

CAN YOU HELP?

PLEASE CALL LESLEY ON 01543 503678

WANTED

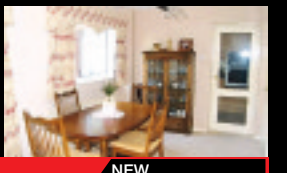
MR W IS LOOKING A TWO OR THREE BEDROOM HOUSE WITH EASY ACCESS TO THE M6 AND A38. HE IS LOOKING UP TO £120,000.

CAN YOU HELP?

CALL LESLEY ON 01543 503678

Hednesford Street, Cannock

OPEN HOUSE SATURDAY 28TH MAY 3.00-4.00PM



£200,000 NEW

- Detached Property
- Two Reception Rooms
- Refitted Kitchen
- Four Bedrooms
- Garage
- Town Centre Location

Longstaff Avenue, Cannock

Offers Over £125,000

- A Deceptively Spacious Semi Detached Property
- Lounge, Dining Room
- Conservatory
- Fitted Kitchen
- Three Bedrooms, Fitted Family Bathroom
- Driveway

Southbourne Place, Cannock

Offers IEO £265,000

- Imposing Three Bedroom Detached Bungalow
- Recently Re-Fitted Modern Kitchen/Diner
- Generous Rear Gardens
- Detached Double Garage with Driveway
- Five Piece Luxury Family Bathroom
- Re-Fitted En-Suite Shower Room to Master Bedroom

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Walsall Road, Cannock

£125,000 NEW

- Two Bedroom Semi Detached Property
- Lounge & Refitted Dining Kitchen
- Family Bathroom
- Driveway
- Rear Garden

Slade View Rise, Hazelslade

£64,950 NEW

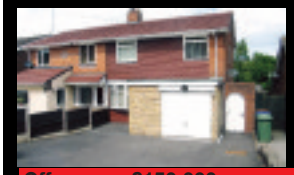
- No Upward Chain
- Three Bedrooms
- Dining Kitchen
- Upstairs Bathroom Suite
- Rear Garden
- Driveway

Hill Street, Hednesford

Offers IEO £280,000 NEW

- Detached Dormer Bungalow
- Four Bedrooms
- Lounge, Dining Room & Dining Kitchen
- Bathroom Suite
- Detached Garage, Front & Rear Gardens

Rawnsley Road, Hednesford



Offers over £150,000 NEW

- Very Well Presented
- Three Bedrooms
- Re-Fitted Kitchen
- Conservatory
- Re-fitted Bathroom
- Enviable Rear Garden

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MR AND MR G HAVE SOLD THEIR PROPERTY AND ARE LOOKING FOR A THREE BEDROOM BUNGALOW IN THE CANNOCK AREA.

CAN YOU HELP?

CALL MATTHEW ON 01543 503678

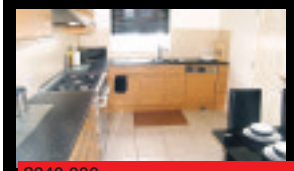
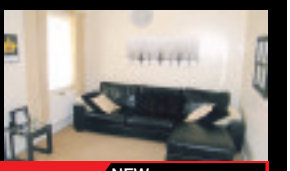
WANTED

MR D IS A FIRST TIME BUYER LOOKING TO GET ON THE PROPERTY LADDER, HE IS WILLING TO DO WORK ON A PROPERTY AND LOOKING IN THE HEATH HAYES AREA.

CAN YOU HELP?

CALL MATTHEW ON 01543 503678

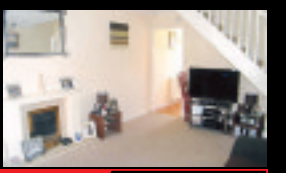
Norton East Road, Norton Canes

£240,000 NEW

- Family Home
- Five Bedrooms
- Dining Kitchen
- Two En-Suites
- Family Bathroom Suite
- Rear Garden
- Garage, Block Paved Driveway

Almond Close, Heath Hayes



Offers over £105,000 NEW

- Well Presented
- Two Bedrooms
- Re-fitted Dining Kitchen
- Re-fitted Bathroom Suite
- Enclosed Rear Garden
- Allocated Parking To Rear

Columbian Way, Cannock

Offers over £120,000 NEW

- Three Bedroom Semi Detached Property
- Lounge & Refitted Dining Kitchen
- Conservatory
- Driveway, Front & Rear Gardens
- Detached Garage

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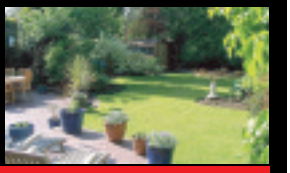
Hilton Lane, Great Wyrley

Offers Over £185,000 NEW PRICE

- A Three Bedroom Detached Bungalow
- Refitted Dining Kitchen With Utility Area
- Lounge
- Landscaped Rear Garden
- Block Paved Driveway
- Double Glazing And Central Heating (Where Specified)

Barnswood Close, Cannock



£285,000

- Four bedroom detached family residence
- Cul de sac location adjacent to Greensward
- Split level triple aspect lounge diner
- Kitchen breakfast room and utility
- Conservatory overlooking mature gardens
- Single garage and driveway
- Master suite with en suite shower room

Cranmer Close, Cheslyn Hay

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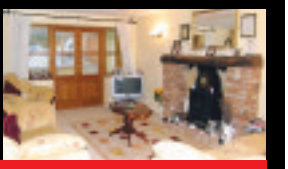
- Offered for Sale with No Upward Chain

Wolverhamton Road, Shareshill

£239,950

- Three Bedroom Barn Conversion
- Semi Rural Location
- Ensuite and Dressing Room to Master Bedroom
- Off Road Parking
- No Upward Chain
- Viewing Essential

Littleworth Road, Hednesford



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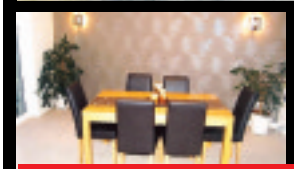

£310,000

- Unique detached property
- Four/five bedrooms
- Separate lounge and dining room
- First floor accessed by two staircases
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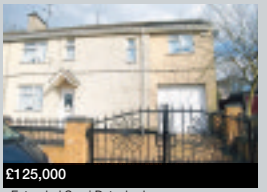
- Offered for sale with no upward chain

Burgoyne Street, Cannock

£135,000

- A Semi Detached Property
- Three Bedrooms
- Lounge/Diner
- Refitted Kitchen
- Refitted Bathroom
- Rear Garden

Bilberry Crescent, Huntington



£125,000

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- Dining Kitchen
- Shower Room
- Garage
- Block Paved Driveway

Pye Green Road, Cannock

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- Family Bathroom
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Apple Walk, Heath Hayes

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Woottons Court, Stoney Croft

OIEO £70,000 NEW PRICE

Well presented modern first floor flat. Comprising: lounge, fitted kitchen diner, bathroom, allocated parking and communal grounds. Benefiting from double glazing and electric heating

Johnson Road, Cannock

£79,950

Three bedroom semi-detached comprising lounge, kitchen, conservatory, bathroom, front and rear gardens, off road parking and no chain

Warren Close, Rawnsley

£80,000 NEW INSTRUCTION

Corner plot semi detached house with no chain and in need of cosmetic improvements. Guest wc, lounge, breakfast kitchen, three bedrooms and bathroom. Benefiting from central heating

Huntington Terrace Road, Chadsmoor, Cannock

£85,000 NEW INSTRUCTION

Modern mid terraced house. Comprising: guest wc, fitted kitchen, lounge, two bedrooms, bathroom, front and rear gardens. Benefiting from double glazing and allocated parking.

Blake Close, Cannock

£89,000 NEW PRICE

Two bedroom mid town house comprising lounge, kitchen, bathroom, electric heating, double glazing and garage located in a separate block.

Common Walk, Huntington

£90,000

Two bedroom extended mid terrace with no upward chain. Comprising: guest wc, lounge, dining room, kitchen with utility and bathroom. Benefiting from central heating, double glazing and rear off road parking.

Staley Croft, Cannock

£94,995

Three bedroom semi-detached comprising; lounge, kitchen, conservatory, bathroom, off road parking and front and rear gardens. Being sold with no upward chain

North Street, Cannock

£95,000 NEW INSTRUCTION

Improved traditional mid terrace house with no upward chain. Comprising: lounge diner, refitted kitchen, refitted sectioned, refitted bathroom, two bedrooms, verandah and front and rear gardens

Greenslade Grove, Hednesford

£95,000 NEW INSTRUCTION

Modern first floor maisonette. Comprising: lounge diner, breakfast kitchen, two bedrooms and shower room. Benefiting from double glazing, night storage heaters and allocated parking.

Hampton Green, Cannock

£105,000 NEW INSTRUCTION

Modern semi detached house with no upward chain. Comprising: lounge diner, refitted kitchen, two bedrooms, refitted bathroom and shared driveway. Benefiting from central heating and double glazing.

Hednesford Road, Heath Hayes

£110,000 NEW INSTRUCTION

Traditional three storey semi detached house. Comprising: lounge diner, kitchen with utility room, refitted downstairs shower room, master bedroom with en-suite shower room and two further bedrooms.

Walsall Road, Great Wyrley

£120,000 NEW INSTRUCTION

Ttaditional semi detached house. Comprising: two reception rooms, refitted kitchen, two bedrooms, bathroom, front and rear gardens. Benefiting from central heating and double glazing

Redwood Drive, Cannock

£120,000 NEW INSTRUCTION

Three bedroom semi-detached. Comprising refitted kitchen diner, conservatory, bathroom, driveway with car port and garage. Benefiting from central heating and double glazing

The Meadows, Cannock

£123,000 NEW PRICE

Well presented modern mews property comprising kitchen, guest wc, lounge, bathroom, two bedrooms, rear garden and allocated parking to the front. Double glazing and central heating

Poplar Street, Norton Canes

£125,000 NEW INSTRUCTION

Three bedroom extended semi detached house with no upward chain. Comprising: lounge diner, study (garage conversion), kitchen diner and bathroom. Benefiting from central heating and double glazing

Chestnut Close, Heath Hayes, Cannock

£125,000 NEW INSTRUCTION

Modern mid coach house. Ground floor accommodation comprising: bathroom, two bedrooms and conservatory. First floor comprising: lounge, fitted kitchen and master bedroom with en-suite shower room.

Priory Road, Hednesford

£125,000 NEW INSTRUCTION

Three bedroom semi detached house. Lounge, dining room, fitted kitchen, conservatory, guest wc and refitted bathroom, Benefiting from central heating and double glazing

Wrens Croft, Heath Hayes

£134,950 NEW INSTRUCTION

Modern semi detached with no chain and over looking the nature reserve to the rear. Comprising: guest wc, lounge, fitted kitchen, two bedrooms, bathroom, front and rear gardens.

Sharon Way, Hednesford

£140,000 NEW INSTRUCTION

Link detached house with no chain. Comprising: lounge, refitted kitchen diner, three bedrooms, refitted shower room, driveway with garage. Central heating and double glazing.

Broadway, Hednesford

£144,950 NEW INSTRUCTION

Three/four bedroom semi detached dormer bungalow with no upward chain. Ground floor comprising: lounge, dining room, kitchen, bathroom, two bedrooms. First floor comprising: two bedrooms. Driveway with garage.

Rugeley Road, Hednesford

£147,950 NEW INSTRUCTION

Viewing is highly recommended to fully appreciate this properties size and internal presentation. guest wc, extended lounge diner, extended refitted kitchen diner, three bedrooms and bathroom.

Lakeside Drive, Norton Canes

£150,000 NEW INSTRUCTION

Three bedroom semi detached house. Comprising: guest wc, lounge, fitted kitchen diner, refitted bathroom, conservatory, driveway with garage and rear garden. Double glazing and central heating

Capercaillie Drive, Heath Hayes

£160,000 NEW INSTRUCTION

Well presented linked detached house. Comprising: guest wc lounge diner, fitted kitchen diner, en-suite shower room, three bedrooms, bathroom and driveway with garage

Sunbeam Drive, Great Wyrley, Walsall

OIEO £165,000 NEW INSTRUCTION

Linked detached bungalow. Comprising: refitted kitchen diner, lounge, three bedrooms, refitted bathroom, driveway with garage and benefiting from central heating and double glazing

Strauss Drive, Heath Hayes

£175,000 NEW INSTRUCTION

Modern three storey end town house. Comprising: guest wc, fitted kitchen, lounge, conservatory, master bedroom with en-suite shower , two further double bedrooms and bathroom.

Hednesford Road, Norton Canes

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The latest powerplant builds on the success of the company's turbocharged TCe (Turbo Control Efficiency) petrol engine line-up. In recent years this has witnessed the 1.2 TCe 100 replacing the 1.4 16V 98, and the arrival of the 1.4 TCe 130.

Technology

The Energy range will expand further in the next 18 months, with three-cylinder modular petrol engines, alluded to by the 110hp 900cc engine shown in the R-Space Concept in Switzerland a few weeks ago.

Figures for the Energy dCi 130 make impressive reading. Powering Scénic, it dispatches zero to 62mph in 10.3 seconds and a top speed of 121mph. Its torque of 320Nm from 1,750rpm, an increase of 20Nm on the former 1.9-litre diesel, will appeal, with peak power of 130hp at 4,000 rpm.

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The dCi 130 engine complies with Euro5 emissions legislation and is Euro6 ready.

It is covered by 15 Renault patents and is poised to become the core-range powerplant for C-segment models, notably the Mégane family. It will also feature in Renault's D-segment and van line-ups.

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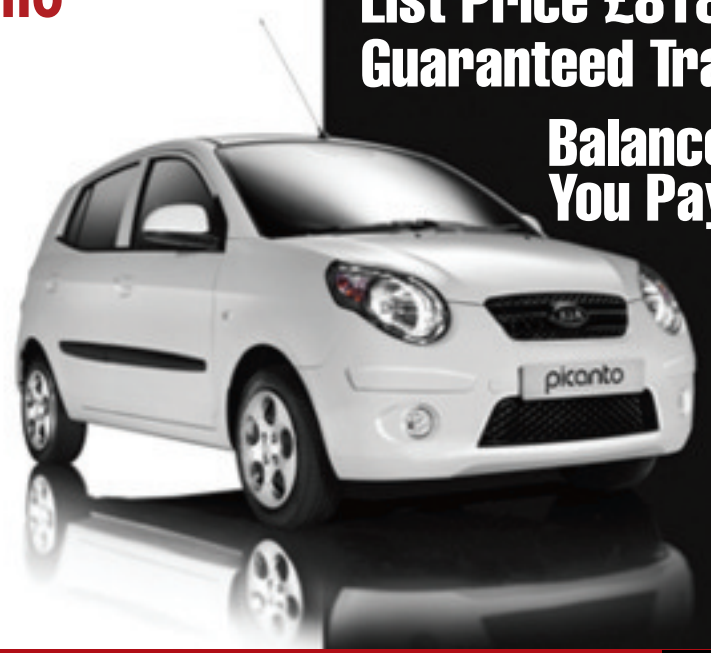

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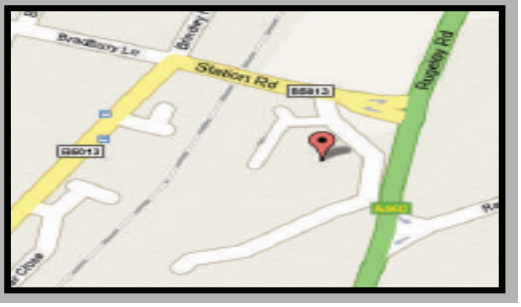

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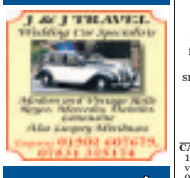

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public & legal notices

Staffordshire County Council

STAFFORDSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL
ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 (AS AMENDED)
ROAD TRAFFIC (TEMPORARY RESTRICTIONS) ACT 1991
Gorsey Lane, Little Wyrley (Cannock)
Diversion Of Vehicular Traffic

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Staffordshire County Council, on 24 May 2011, made an Order the effect of which is to prohibit any vehicle from proceeding in that length of Gorsey Lane between its junctions with Gains Lane and Hazel Lane/Jones Lane/ Jacobs Hall Lane unless the vehicle is being used in connection with the works.

The preferred alternative route for traffic will be available via Jones Lane, A34 Walsall Road, A5 Watling Street, B4154 Lime Lane, Gorsey Lane and vice versa.

THE ORDER WILL COME INTO OPERATION ON 01 JUNE 2011, AND THE SAID WORKS WILL COMMENCE ON OR AS NEAR AS PRACTICABLE TO THAT DATE. IT IS ANTICIPATED THAT THE WORKS WILL BE COMPLETED BY 12 SEPTEMBER 2011.

The Order will remain in force for a period of 18 months or until the bridge replacement works, which it is proposed to carry out on or near the road, have been completed, whichever is the earlier.

Date: 26 May 2011

John Tradewell, Director of Law and Democracy, County Buildings, Martin Street, Stafford ST16 2LH

Ref: S12875; Enquiries: Mrs Simmonds; Tel: 0300 111 8020

STAFFORDSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL
ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984
TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT ACT 2004
The Staffordshire County Council (Cannock Chase) (Civil Enforcement of Parking) (Prohibition and Restriction of Waiting and Loading and Parking Places) (Conversion) Order 2009 (Amendment) No. 8/20xx

1. Staffordshire County Council propose to make a Traffic Order under Sections 1, 2, 4, 32, 35, 45, 46, 47, 49, 53, 124 (1)(d) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984, and the Traffic Management Act 2004 which will:
   (a) remove existing Waiting Restrictions between the hours of 8.30 a.m. and 4.30 p.m. on Monday to Friday inclusive on the following length of road:
   Park Street, Bridgtown, Cannock (both sides) – from a point approximately 76 metres south of its junction with East Road in a southerly direction for its entire length, a distance of approximately 35 metres.
2. This Order will amend the Staffordshire County Council (Cannock Chase) (Civil Enforcement of Parking) (Prohibition and Restriction of Waiting and Loading and Parking Places) (Conversion) Order 2009.
3. This Order will be called the Staffordshire County Council (Cannock Chase) (Civil Enforcement of Parking) (Prohibition and Restriction of Waiting and Loading and Parking Places) (Conversion) Order 2009 (Amendment) No. 8/20xx.
4. This Order will amend the Plan marked BI247 incorporating waiting restrictions on that road specified in Article No. 1 above and which form part of the Staffordshire County Council (Cannock Chase) (Civil Enforcement of Parking) (Prohibition and Restriction of Waiting and Loading and Parking Places) (Conversion) Order 2009 and in substitution thereof.
5. Full details of the proposals are in the draft Order which, together with a map showing the road involved and a statement of the County Council's reasons for proposing to make the Order, may be examined during normal office hours at the office of the Director of Place & Deputy Chief Executive; and during normal opening hours at Cannock Library, Manor Avenue, Cannock.
6. If you wish to object to the proposed Order you should send the grounds for your objection in writing to the Director of Place & Deputy Chief Executive, Highways, Riverway, Stafford, ST16 3TJ not later than 19th June 2011 quoting the reference HoHM/MJH.

Date: 26th May 2011

John Tradewell, Director of Law and Democracy, County Buildings, Martin Street, Stafford ST16 2LH.

STAFFORDSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL
HIGHWAYS ACT 1980 – SECTION 90A
ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 – SECTION 23
Proposed Construction Of A Raised Table On An Existing Puffin Crossing On Wolseley Road, Rugeley

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Staffordshire County Council propose to construct the above measures for the purpose of calming traffic speeds as described below:-

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If you wish to object to the proposals you should send the grounds for your objection in writing to the undersigned not later than 17th June 2011 quoting reference HoHM/MJH/CDT6497.

Date: 26th May 2011

Catherine Raines, Director of Place & Deputy Chief Executive, Highways, Riverway, Stafford ST16 3TJ.

STAFFORDSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL
ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 (AS AMENDED)
ROAD TRAFFIC (TEMPORARY RESTRICTIONS) ACT 1991
B4154 Market Street And A460 Rugeley Road, Hednesford (Cannock)
Temporary Footway Closure

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Staffordshire County Council intend, not less than seven days from the date of this Notice, to make an Order the effect of which will be to prohibit pedestrians from proceeding along the footway on the northern side of B4154 Market Street, Cannock from its junction with A460 Rugeley Road up to a point approximately outside property number 20, and the western side of A460 Rugeley Road from its junction with B4154 Market Street to its junction with Victoria Street.

The preferred alternative routes for pedestrians will be available via the following footways:

B4154 Market Street: Southern side of B4154.

A460 Rugeley Road: Eastern Side of A460.

THE ORDER WILL COME INTO OPERATION ON 16 JUNE 2011, AND THE SAID WORKS WILL COMMENCE ON OR AS NEAR AS PRACTICABLE TO THAT DATE. IT IS ANTICIPATED THAT THE WORKS WILL BE COMPLETED BY 31 JULY 2012.

The Order will remain in force for a period of 18 months or until the redevelopment works, which it is proposed to carry out on or near the road, have been completed, whichever is the earlier.

Date: 26 May 2011

John Tradewell, Director of Law and Democracy, County Buildings, Martin Street, Stafford ST16 2LH.

Ref: S13103; Enquiries: Mrs Simmonds; Tel: 0300 111 8020

Cannock Chase Council

THE COUNCIL IS TO CONSIDER THE FOLLOWING PLANNING PROPOSALS

Application affecting Cannock Town Centre Conservation Area and a Listed Building CH/11/0159

Cannock United Reform Church, Stafford Road, Cannock

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Listed Building Consent

CH/11/0160

Cannock United Reform Church, Stafford Road, Cannock

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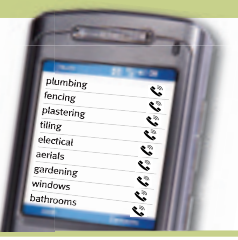

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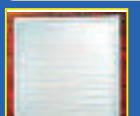

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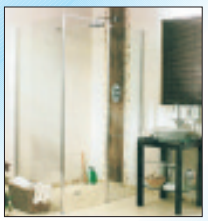

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River anglers will have to wait until June 16 before tackling the likes of the Severn, Trent, Dove and Anchor, but now is the time to start preparing your gear.

The recent surge in membership at Blackfords AS means tickets are selling out fast so if you have not renewed or got yours yet, we suggest you do so very soon to avoid disappointment. Prices remain the same as last year, £20 for adults and £15 for juniors and concessions.

The recent silver fish only match at Leacroft Pool was won by Steve McQueen with 10lb 4oz followed by Mark Coby 8lb 6oz and Dave Ridgeway 8lb 4oz.

Coppice Lane held there first evening open match of the year on Becketts Pool and Ian Chadwick had a winning weight of 63lb, second and third place had 49lb and 40lb respectively , with many other good back up weights as well .

The winner used chopped worm and caster fished on the long pole down the edges from peg six. Bailiff Gordon Partridge enjoyed a good day on Becketts in the week too, taking carp to 8lb from the margins on his 'special' flavoured meat.

All other pools on site are fishing well with corn, meat, worm and pellets being the main baits. Trout anglers have been having a good time too, Blithfield Reservoir has been fishing very well , and the quality and size of the fish seems to have improved from last season.

Evening fishing with dry flies has proved very productive! Over at Loynton Fishery trout have been rising freely to Hawthorn and Daddy longlegs patterns with fish to 18lb being caught.

With a few sea anglers reading the report it appears that the increase in sea temperatures have encouraged fish species in shore earlier than expected. A recent trip out of Penarth into the Bristol channel produced no fewer than eight different species including spurdog to 14lb, smoothhounds, conger and rays. We do stock a range of sea fishing tackle for both boat and shore fishing.

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Karate team Towers over the opposition

A KARATE group from Chadsmoor experienced great success at the recent English & European Karate Championships.

Medals and trophies were won in all age groups by Tower Karate Club, which trains at Chadsmoor Junior School on Burns Street.

Highlights of the event included eight members winning gold medals and therefore becoming both national and European champions.

Scott Bate, Fiona Plater and Richard Wilcox came first in their kata fields, while Richard added a kumite gold alongside Hope Clementson.

In the team events Scott, as well as Steve Bate and Daniel Farr, triumphed in kumite. Farr also added a kate team gold with Plater and Haley Turner.

Numerous second and third places were achieved, including medals for Jack Blower, Matthew Ford, Adam Ford, Jonas Pearson, Bethany Ford, Liam Neuchterlien, Aiden Hopley, Natalya Filipowicz and Chloe Williams.

Sensei Steve Bate said: "The students put themselves out and trained very hard leading up to the championships to achieve what they did."

For more about the club call Mr Bate, a seventh Dan instructor, on 07850 045789.

Successful members of the Tower Karate Club, base in Chadsmoor

Young Pitmen claim their second successive double

Double-winning Hednesford Town FC under-11s celebrate their success

Heath Hayes under-15s celebrate their cup triumph with sponsors the Dilshad

JUNIOR FOOTBALL

HEDNESFORD Town Under-11s made it a League and Cup double for the second consecutive year by beating rivals Wyrley Juniors 7-0 in the final of the Walsall Junior Youth League Cup.

The Keys Park boys were in tremendous form with five goals from Taylor Allen and one each for Mitch Candlin and Jordan Dodd to complete a comfortable victory in a one-sided final.

The Junior Pitmen lifted the cup for the third year running and complete the treble.

TOWER FC U-12 3 SILVERDALE 4

Treble-winning Tower FC let slip a 3-1 lead having previously won all 14 games.

Tower, Division Two champions, Ron Smith Cup winners and Festival trophy holders, were without a full squad, but started well against a team that needed to win to get their hands on their first silverware this season.

And it was Silverdale who opened the scoring. Tower equalised through Dior Jackson and within five minutes Sam Milton made it to 2-1 to Tower.

Just before half time, Tower made it 3-1 when Dior Jackson headed home his 36th goal of the season.

Tower relaxed in the second half and allowed Silverdale get back into the game with two quick goals and with the last kick of the game, Silverdale scored to win the game 4-3. Man of the match was Kieron Walker.

HEATH HAYES 2 WYRLEY JUNIORS PANTHERS 0 – ROBERT ECCLESTON MEMORIAL CUP FINAL

Heath Hayes were able to end their season in style following a 2-0 victory over Wyrley Juniors Panthers at Walsall's Banks Stadium.

This resulted completed a good season for the team after also achieving a runners up spot in Division One of the Walsall Junior Youth League.

The first half was a tentative affair but it was Heath Hayes who made the better start of the two sides with Brett Jones firing wide from the edge of the box inside the opening 90 seconds.

After a goalless first half, it was Hayes that took the lead in the 63rd minute. A long ball forward from keeper Moreton saw Jones outmuscle two defenders and he was able to slot home underneath the advancing keeper to give his side the crucial advantage.

Six minutes later Panthers almost found an equaliser when Luke Bolas flicked the ball goalwards but he was denied superbly by Moreton.

With just five minutes to go Hayes killed off the game when they made it 2-0. Another ball through the middle caught out the Wyrley defence and Jack Wallace was able to round the advancing keeper and slot home.

BELVEDERE 0 WYRLEY JUNIORS U-15S 2

Wyrley were determined to end the season on a high and a solid team performance was the platform for this second win in a week against a physical Belvedere outfit.

Wyrley took the lead when Meg Titley made an excellent break down the left and delivered a perfect cross for Danni Biggs to find the net. Wyrley continued to pressurise the Belvedere defence and good work from Lucy Wells found Titley in space to put them two up.

Wyrley's domination was almost topped off by Titley but her effort came back off the crossbar.

RIDGEWAY 1 ST JOSEPH'S 2 – CANNOCK & RUGELEY DISTRICT SCHOOLS FOOTBALL LEAGUE

A fantastic team performance saw St Joseph's come out on top in this keenly contested league match.

An evenly matched first half ended all square as Ridgeway equalised a goal from Katherine Hall.

Early in the second half, Katie Kilgallon put St Joseph's into the lead and they were able to hold on for the victory. Man of the Match was Millie Rawlings.

ST JOSEPH'S 5 SPRINGHILL 0

St Joseph's put in another great performance to secure a second victory in two days.

Goals from Katherine Hall and Katie Kilgallon saw St. Joseph's go into half-time 2-0 ahead and they continued to press in the second half, despite a fine performance from Springhill's goalkeeper.

Further goals from Hall and Man of the Match Kilgallon, who went on to complete a hat-trick, saw St Joseph's run out winners.

Chasetown Scholars under 11s (current year 6) are looking to strengthen their squad for next season.

Anyone interested, call Steve Molineux on 07818 573915.

Amelia snatches last-gasp winner

HOCKEY

CANNOCK XI 3 LICHFIELD XI 5

CANNOCK began their 2011 Summer League campaign on Thursday (May 19) at home to a well drilled and efficient Lichfield side who took all three points at Chase Park.

Cannock failed to match Lichfield's efforts and determination for the majority of the game in what was most players' first game back after five weeks at the end of the season proper.

There were a couple of positives, firstly Tom Hyde's excellent solo hat-trick and a terrific performance from young keeper Ollie Balcombe who despite conceding five goals made several quality saves. Meanwhile Cannock Hockey Club's third summer league side, Hatherton won 6-5 in a thrilling game against Sutton Royals on Wednesday night.

ALDRIDGE/WALSALL XI 9 CHASE PARK 0

After numerous enforced changes, including in goal, Chase Park entered the first Summer League game of the season against a strong Aldridge & Walsall side.

The difference between the two teams was apparent from the whistle and after about 10 minutes the home side took the lead, increasing this by a further two goals in the next 10 minutes.

Chase Park showed battling qualities and pushed forward on numerous occasions but could not quite get the final ball working in the D and the hosts scored two more on the breakaway. The Chase Park cause was not helped by an injury to stand-in goalkeeper Gary Stacey after about 15 minutes.

A change of personnel and the removal of Stacey did not stop Chase Park pushing forward for that elusive goal. Chances came and went but it seemed one of those days. Again on the break the home side scored a couple of goals.

After about 20 minutes of the second half, Stacey returned to the fray. Further fine play by the Chase Park team again showed the team have qualities but still could not find the final shot.

CANNOCK LADIES 3RD/4TH XI 1 BLOXWICH LADIES 1ST XI

Cannock Ladies 3rd/4th development team earned a creditable draw against a tough Bloxwich side at Chase Park on Tuesday evening. A solid performance from the whole side produced a good performance and a goal from Lauren Bradbury was enough to give Cannock a share of the spoils.

CANNOCK LADIES XI 2 BLOXWICH LADIES XI 1

Cannock played an exciting game against Bloxwich. After going 1-0 ahead through Beth Jennings, Cannock held the majority of the possession, conceding an unfortunate goal in the second half.

Cannock won it back just before full time with a goal from Amelia Morgan.

Fraser's win completes an outstanding season

CHESS

IT TOOK two play-offs and a tie break system to decide the outcome, but Cannock teenager Nick Fraser's victory gave Lichfield Chess Club's second team a league and cup double.

The first encounter between Lichfield and Redditch in the Birmingham Division 3 championship play-off ended with all six matches drawn.

There were four more drawn games in the second play-off and a win each on the remaining two boards meant that the tie-break system was used.

The Redditch win on the bottom board was discarded, leaving Lichfield 3-2 winners thanks to Fraser's win on board five.

It completed an outstanding season in which the club also won the Birmingham and Wolverhampton League Division One titles and the Derby League Third Division.

Win over rivals secures league title

WYRLEY PANTHERS U-13 GIRLS 1 LICHFIELD DIAMONDS U-13 2

LICHFIELD DIAMONDS

IN front of a large crowd the top two teams fought out a thrilling game to decide who would be crowned League Champions.

Diamonds needed to win to take over top spot went behind in the opening minutes to a long range shot.S

Showing the spirit that has developed within the team this season under the guidance of Shannon Edwards the team refused to wilt.

A left foot shot from winger Danni Cummings beat the keeper but was blocked by a Wyrley defender,but the reprieve was short lived as a cross from twin Thea Cummings was spilled by the keeper and Danni pounced to volley home the loose ball.

Katie Hitchcock hit the bar but with time ticking away in the first half she made no mistake to rifle home a corner from Steph Speck.

With Diamonds still having a game left Panthers knew they had to get something from this, their final match of the season and with the wind at their backs they drove forward in the second half, but to no avail.

The final whistle meant Diamonds had replaced Panthers at the top on goal difference and now need to avoid a defeat by seven goals or more in their final fixture to become Champions!

LICHFIELD DIAMONDS U-13 4 BURNTWOOD PHOENIX U13 GIRLS 2

Having beaten last season's champions Wyrley Panthers in midweek, the final game of the season saw Diamonds sitting at the top of the league needing to avoid a defeat against third place Phoenix to take the title in their first season at 11-a-side.

The city girls had already beaten Phoenix twice this season and it wasn't long before they were in front when Steff Speck rifled in a shot that the keeper couldn't hold.

A good header from a corner put the visitors level but Diamonds continued to create chances and were soon back in front through Katie Hitchcock, who then made it 3 - 1 shortly before half time – pouncing on the loose ball after the keeper spilled another Speck shot.

Early in the second half Speck cut inside two defenders onto her right foot to tuck the ball home at the near post.With the game apparently won Diamonds took their foot off the gas and Phoenix finished strongly pulling a goal back late in the game. Having been nine points behind Wyrley in March the girls won their last 10 games to take the title by three points.

Diamonds are now recruiting for next season at all age groups from Girls U-8 up to U-17 and Ladies. Anyone interested is asked to contact Mic or Shirley on 01543 254069.

Lichfield Diamonds u-13s after beating Wyrley Panthers and Burntwood Phoenix to secure the League Championship by three points in their first season together at 11 a-side

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Win over leaders completes hat-trick

PENKRIDGE (200-6) BEAT PELSALL (197-7) BY FOUR WICKETS

PENKRIDGE 1st XI completed a hat-trick of vital wins on Saturday when they beat league leaders Pelsall on their own ground by four wickets.

Batting first Pelsall negotiated their way to 100 without loss thanks to Richard Marsh (60) and Alex Jones (28), but Ross Shelton (2-16) once again proved to be the partnership breaker as Pelsall suffered a mini collapse to 115-5.

Mo Hassan troubled the Pelsall lower order, collecting 3-48 from his 15 overs as the home side closed on 197-7 from their 50 over allocation.

Penkridge's reply was built around a classy 87 not out from opener Alex Watson, and he received support from the

CRICKET LATEST

Hassan brothers, Ronnie (27) and a crucial 29 not out from Mo batting at number eight- as Penkridge passed their target in the 46th over.

PENKRIDGE 2ND XI (297-6) DREW WITH PELSALL (205-7)

The second XI maintained their position at the top of Division 1A with another commanding batting performance against the same opposition.

Chad Clarke registered his second century in six weeks as he struck a run-a-ball 121 opening the innings. Veteran Ian Brown (66) helped Clarke put on 161 for the second wicket and the innings was given an injection of pace by Richard James who scored 36 from 27 balls, as Penkridge closed on 297-6.

Pelsall managed an opening stand of 49 thanks chiefly to Sam Stanton (36) but disciplined spells from Kieran Smith (2-11) and Ian Brown (2-10) put the visitors on the back foot.

Despite their best efforts, Penkridge could not make inroads into the lower order, and Pelsall closed on 205-7, to give Penkridge a comprehensive winning draw.

PENKRIDGE 3RDS (162-3) BEAT SWINDON (161-8) BY SEVEN WICKETS

The 3rds made light work of Swindon in their away fixture triumphing by seven wickets.

Khalid Sadiq (3-39) and young spinner Usman Khan (3-34) helped limit Swindon to 161-8 from their 50 overs, and a healthy opening stand from Steve Jones (34) and Tom Morris (47) put Penkridge in control. Khalid Sadiq's powerful innings of 49 not out including three 6s saw Penkridge race to victory in the 33rd over.

'Feelgood factor' as duo sign on

HEDNESFORD TOWN FC

MANAGEMENT duo Rob Smith and Larry Chambers have signed new two-year deals to stay at Keys Park.

Hednesford Town chairman Steve Price admitted he had been 'overwhelmed' by the support the club has received from its supporters in the past year, and was thrilled to confirm that the duo had decided to stay on.

Chambers said he saw their commitment as a stepping stone towards building on an outstanding first half of 2011 and acquiring the signatures of key young players within the Hednesford squad.

"The priority for us now is to secure the exceptional young talent that we have within the squad and add to it to mount a committed drive for promotion," Chambers said. "The work will commence immediately to assemble the squad for the 2011-2012 season.'

Two key players in the Pitmen's run to the Zamaretto Premier Division Play-Off Final, creative midfielder Chris Clements and left wing-back Darren Campion have already signed on the dotted line. Boss Smith was thrilled to confirm the signing of the pair but stressed that more signings were to come as the squad is tweaked ready for pre-season training in July.

"There is a great 'feelgood' factor at the club right now and we are proud to be part of it," he said.

"We have a hunger and desire to see more success and securing the future of Camps and Clemmo only serves to show how ambitious we are at the moment.'

Meanwhile, the FA released their provisional allocations for Non-League Steps 1-4 this week and the Pitmen have been placed in the Northern Premier League alongside local rivals Stafford Rangers, Chasetown and Rushall Olympic.

Secretary Terry McMahon said the club had lodged a case to the FA to stay in a Southern section where Hednesford won 19 of their final 24 league games.

"There is a strong case that we should remain in the Southern League and that case has been made to the FA Committee. I personally have no strong preference either way as I truly believe that Rob and Larry will be successful whichever end of the country we play our games."

Jenny Smith of NFU Insurance with Golden Boot winners Drew Aiton, Sinead Treanor, Zach Cogger and Gary Birch

Tony Davison of Bostik with winners Jack Pearce, Sinead Treanor, Andy Westwood, Lee Stretton, Richard Teesdale

CAPTAIN TAKES HONOURS AT AWARDS NIGHT

CHASETOWN FC

A PHENOMENAL season for Chasetown Football Club was celebrated in style at a fantastic presentation evening at Walsall's Banks's Stadium last Saturday (May 21).

Ben Jevons crowned a superb season by scooping the Players' Player award alongside Richard Davies who made a great impact on his debut Scholars season on loan from AFC Telford.

Captain Richard Teesdale was voted as Manager's Player of the Season by Charlie Blakemore while Gary Birch took the Golden Boot award as top scorer. The Reserves' incredible treble-winning season saw Lee Stretton voted as Player of the Year by both the supporters and manager Mark Swann, who was presented with a special award in recognition of his achievements in guiding the reserves to the League, Cup and Challenge Trophy. Craig Deakin was Players' Player and Drew Aiton took the Golden Boot.

Jon Gould was voted as Players' Player for the Under-18 side, but his night was topped when vice-chairman Alan Smith presented him with his annual Young Player of the Year award. Zach Cogger was top scorer for the Under-18s with Jack Hulin taking the Supporters' award and Andy Westwood – who made his first team debut during the season – taking the Manager's award from Andy Turner.

Jack Pearce was a well-received Manager's Player of the Season for the Scholarship side, Ben Skelton and Oliver James taking the Supporters' and Players' awards respectively. Matt Bottley was top scorer.

Sinead Treanor took the Golden Boot award for the Ladies for the second year in a row with 23 goals in 24 games and she also took the Manager's Player of the Year award from Trevor Barter. Charlotte Bull was Players' Player, while Jade Arber took the Supporters' award. Two special awards were presented by Andy Turner, with Christian Vassallo honoured for his outstanding academic work which has won him a place at Loughborough University and also for his appearances for Malta's youth international side.

Richard Teesdale collects the Manager's Player from Tony Davison

Confirmed

James Kelly was also honoured by Turner for his superb academic achievements and effort as part of the Scholarship scheme.

Goalkeeper Ryan Price was presented with the annual President's Prize by Brian Baker, and it was also confirmed that Crown Cutting Services would be continuing as main team sponsors for the 2011-12 season when the Scholars will again compete in the Evo-Stik Northern Premier League and will be joined by local rivals Stafford Rangers, Hednesford Town and Rushall Olympic.

The evening also saw entertainment from Abba tribute band Abbarella and Rob Leigh as Neil Diamond on a hugely entertaining night enjoyed by all present.

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